IF...you are interested in the costs and details of the England tour, please write to me. Those living in other countries may be interested in joining us in England for a tour of the Shirley related places. You are invited to go with us. One of our members from New Zealand and one from Australia did this in 1989. They said they really enjoyed themselves. We must have a minimum of 20 people or the tour will be canceled. At the Shirley meetings in the U.S. this summer, several raised their hands saying they were interested in going to England. We must now hear from you and we will send you the costs and length of time (about 9 days), etc.

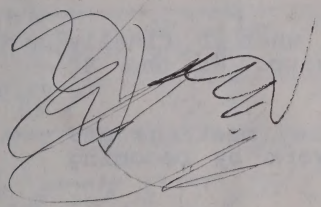
Thank you for the Christmas cards and letters. I will work on the mail soon. I owe letters to several of you.

I would like to wish you and your family a very **MERRY CHRISTMAS** and a **HAPPY NEW YEAR!** May 1992 be a good year for everyone!!!

Sincerely,

Betty Shirley
Shirley Association
10256 Glencoe Dr.
Cupertino, CA 95014 USA

Telephone (408) 255-8511



SEASON'S GREETINGS

CHRISTMAS IS A SPECIAL TIME OF THE YEAR!

Christmas is the celebration of the birth of Christ, and a tradition of long standing for remembering old friends and family. We exchange gifts, cards and give to the poor.

The poor I am helping this year will be my own children and their families. Things are <u>not</u> that great for some of them financially, unfortunately!

The family, I took care of a few weeks ago when I finally arranged our own family reunion on Thanksgiving. We had 80 people attend.

The friends are <u>you</u> who have come to the Shirley meetings and conventions and those who have sponsored my work by becoming members of the Shirley Association. THANK YOU!

Because of the Shirley meetings in Arkansas, Oklahoma and Texas in October, guests who spent a few days with us in late October, birth of new grandbaby, and the Thanksgiving family reunion, I have not finished the Fall Shirley NEWS. I have it started, but it is now so close to Christmas that I know everyone is involved with Holiday shopping etc. and so I have convinced myself that it won't be missed right now. I have a few days off from babysitting between Christmas and New Years and will finish it then and do another issue and mail in January as a double issue.

As I mentioned above, I have a new grandson, Jonathon Coady Rodebaugh. He was born November 13th to my youngest daughter, Debbie and her husband, Danny. This was her first born so I was nearby the entire time of labor and birth. He was born at 2:30 AM and by the time I left the hospital and got home it was 4:30 AM. I was up two hours later to get over to my other daughters to babysit as usual. I'm getting old, ha! for it takes longer to recuperate these days.

I am planning the 1992 England trip for late June. Prices are coming in as I write this letter. If all goes as planned, I think we will have a Shirley gathering at Ettington on Saturday June 27, 1992. This IS tentative and we should have this finalized by the time I send the Shirley NEWS in January.

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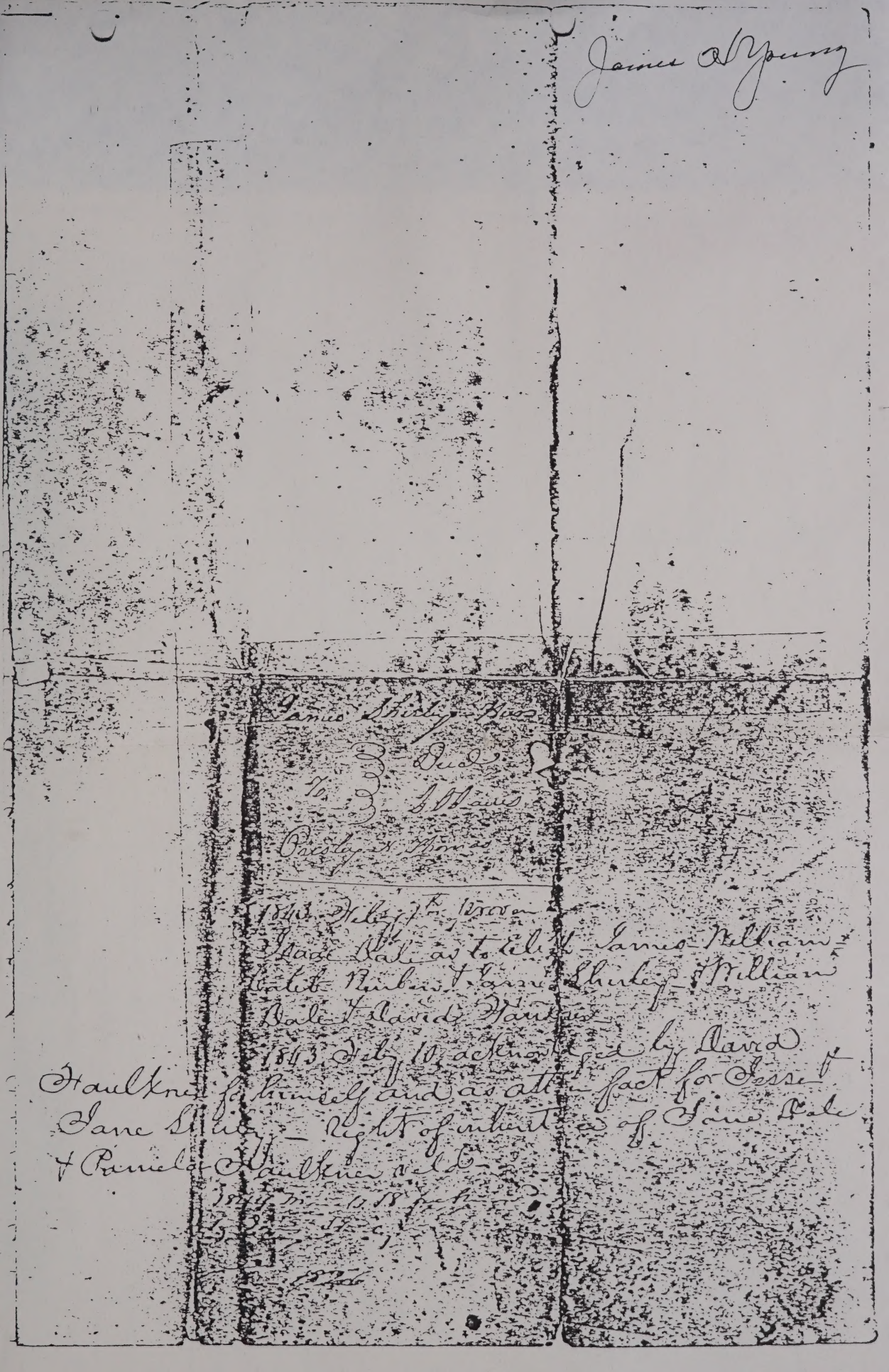
This Indenture made and entered into this 15
day of December in the year of our Lord one thousand
Eight hundred and forty four between Ezekiel Shirley, Caleb
Shirley, James Shirley, William Shirley of the state of
Indianna, William Dale & Jane his wife, David Faulk
-ner, and Permelia his wife, Reuben Shirley & Lettie his wife, Tho
-mas Shirley, and James Shirley and Polly his wife of the
State of Kentucky, of the one part, and Presley & Thomas
of Barren County and State of Kentucky of the other part
witnesseth — That the said Ezekiel Shirley, Caleb Shir
-ley, William Dale, & Jane his wife, David Faulkner &
Permelia, his wife, and Ipsy Shirley Heirs of James Shirley
Deceased, and James Shirley, William Shirley, Reuben
Shirley, & Lettie his wife, Thomas Shirley, and James Shir
-ley, and Polly his wife, children of Robert Shirley. Heir
of said James Shirley Deceased have this day bargained
and sold, & by these presents do bargain and sell
and sold, & severally all their Several interests, in a
Seperate and certain tract or parcel of land lying in Barren County &
State of Kentucky, and being the late residence of the said
James Shirley Deceased on Blue Spring creek, for and in
consideration of Three hundred dollars, (Each fifty dollars
to each of the above named Heirs of James Shirley Dec'd)
the receipt whereof they do hereby severally acknowledge, and
the said Presley & Thomas, and bounded as follows to wit
Beginning on William Twymans corner of two Black
Walnuts, thence with his line N 90 E 179 poles to two
black oaks and a Post oak passing Twymans corner
at 80 poles, thence N 70 E 179 poles to a Swamp oak
in a small Pond, thence N 20 E 179 poles to two small
Post oaks, thence N 70 W 179 poles to the Beginning containing
two hundred acres to have and to hold the said tract or par
cels of Land, with all and singular the appurtinances there
to belonging, and contained within the boundary. And the
said Ezekiel Shirley, Caleb Shirley, William Dale



FAMILY RECORD SHEET

Compiled (12-1979) by → Kenneth W. SHIRLEY (descendant of Jane below #7) R, R. #1, Box 1 Meriden, KS 66512

PARENTS

GRANDPARENTS

gr, gr, great grandson

HUSBAND James SHIRLEY

Date and Place

Birth

Death 1801 Barren Co, KY

MARRIAGE

WIFE Mary

Birth

Death ca1833

Other marriages of wife

Other marriages of husband

Use other side for other information

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Sources of info: (1832? document)

1) Barren Co, KY unrecorded deed: Heirs of James SHIRLEY deed land to Presley N. THOMAS. (Names heirs of James SHIRLEY

2) Elwood SHIRLEY, Lexington, KY (1979)

3) James H. YOUNG, Edmonton, KY (1979)

YOUR CHILDREN	Date & Place of Birth	Date & Place of Death	Date & Place of Marriage	To Whom
1. Ezekial	1776 VA.	1864 Boone Co, Ind.	dau of Arge	Dulcina SHIRLEY
2. Robert		1813 Barren Co, KY	dau of Thos. Sr.	Elizabeth SHIRLEY
3. Caleb	1788 SC			Phoebe GIBBONS
4. Melinda	1791 SC			Presley N. THOMAS
5. Permelia	1793 KY			David FAULKNER
6. Jesse	1800 KY			Jane WITT
★ 7. Jane		ca1843 Barren Co, KY		William DALE
8. Note:	Jesse & Caleb in Carroll Co, MO. 1850	Census		
9.	(Jesse in Ill. prior to MO – Ill 1830's ?)			
10.	Ezekial in Indiana 1830's ?			

FAMILY RECORD SHEET

Compiled by: Kenneth W. SHIRLEY — great, great grandson of Daniel R. SHIRLEY (below)

1979 address → R.R. #1, Meriden, KS 66512

PARENTS | Information on this sheet - filled in Dec 1979 | GRANDPARENTS

* HUSBAND Richard SHIRLEY ("Jr.")

Richard referred to as Richard SHIRLEY "Jr." in Barren Co, KY legal documents

Date and Place

Birth

Death Apr. 1831 Barren Co., KY.

MARRIAGE 17 Aug. 1816 Barren Co., KY

WIFE Elizabeth DALE

Birth 30 Jul. 1799

Death

Other marriages of wife

~~Other marriages of husband~~

Use other side for other information

* Buried Eagleville, MO (Harrison Co.)

f ? Richard SHIRLEY
d. 1796. Scott Co, KY

m ? Dorcas ?
(in Barren Co, KY, 1800 Census)

f Reuben DALE
b. 1774
m. 1797
d. 1862

m Sally GILL
b. 1773
d. 1844

gf

gm

gf

gm

gf Isaac DALE
b. 1751 d. 1820

gm Eleanor ?

gf [redacted] Spencer GILL

gm ? Jemima ?

Soures of info:
1) "The DALE Family History" (Ruth Turner and Mrs Larry Smith, Eagleville, MO. 64442)
2) Estate Settlement of Richard SHIRLEY ("Jr.") (Barren Co, KY Circuit Ct. Case #781 - Filed 17 Jun 1834)
3) Will of Isaac DALE. (Barren Co, KY - 1820)
4) Marriage Record of Richard & Elizabeth SHIRLEY, Barren Co, KY

YOUR CHILDREN	Date & Place of Birth	Date & Place of Death	Date & Place of Marriage	To Whom
★ 1. Daniel R.	8 Jul. 1817 (? Barren Co., Kentucky)	11 Apr 1876 Eagleville, MO	late 1840's ? KY (Barren or Hart Co.)	America E. DALE
2. Sarah				? Lowery AMES
★ 3. Mariah	14 Oct. 1821 Barren Co, KY	31 Jul 1890 ? Eagleville MO	1860	George A. REEVES
4. Jemima		before June 1834 (Barren Co KY?)	[redacted] Never married	[redacted]
5. Martha				
6. America		before June 1834 (? Barren Co, KY)	Never married	—
★ 7. Amy Elizabeth	17 Oct 1829	30 May 1897 Eagleville, MO.	7 Mar 1861	James J. DALE
8. Reuben		before June 1834 (? Barren Co, KY?)	Never married	—
[redacted] 9. Lemuel (or Samuel?)		before June 1834 (? Barren Co, KY	Never married	—
10.				

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FAMILY RECORD SHEET

great grandson of Lemuel H. SHIRLEY (below *) #2

Compiled by: Kenneth W. SHIRLEY
1981 Address: R.R.#1 Meriden KS 66512

HUSBAND Daniel R. SHIRLEY

Date and Place

Birth 8 Jul. 1817 KY. (Barren or Hart Co.)

Death 11 Apr. 1876 Eagleville, MO. (Harrison Co.)

MARRIAGE ca. 1840's KY

WIFE America Ann Elizabeth DALE

Birth 22 Aug 1826 KY (Barren or Hart Co.)

Death 2 Feb. 1877 Eagleville, mo.

? Daniel R. & America were 1st cousins (once removed)

~~Other marriages of wife~~

~~Other marriages of husband~~

Use other side for other information

PARENTS

f Richard SHIRLEY "Jr."
d. 1831 Barren Co., KY.
m. 1816 Barren Co, KY

m Elizabeth DALE
b. 1799 KY

Deed Book X, Pg 80-81 Barren Co, Ky. names children of Wm. DALE

f William DALE

Note. William DALE and Reuben DALE were brothers, both sons of Isaac (b. 1751)

m Jane (or Jennie) SHIRLEY

It is not proven that William DALE & Jane SHIRLEY are parents of America.

GRANDPARENTS

gf (??) Richard SHIRLEY
d. 1796 Scott Co., KY

gm (??) Dorcas ?

gf Reuben DALE
b. 1774 m. 1797. d. 1862

gm Sally GILL b. 1773 d. 1847

gf Isaac DALE b. 1751 d. 1820
(Will recorded Barren Co, KY)

gm Eleanor ?

gf James SHIRLEY
d. 1801 Barren Co, KY.

gm Mary ?

(?)

SOURCES OF INFORMATION

1. Estate settlement of Daniel R. & of America (Harrison Co, mo.
2. State death records on children 2, 3, 5 and 8 (below).
3. Estate settlement of Richard SHIRLEY "Jr" (1831 Barren Co, KY)
4. Unrecorded deed: James SHIRLEY heirs (1832 Barren Co, KY)
5. "DALE Family History" - Ruth Turner, Jane SMITH, both of Eagleville, Mo 64442.
6. Census Records: Barren Co. KY ← Hart Co. KY ← Harrison Co., mo.

Daniel R & America & all children except Lemuel H. are buried in SHIRLEY CEMETERY, Eagleville, MO.

YOUR CHILDREN	Date & Place of Birth	Date & Place of Death	Date & Place of Marriage	To Whom
1. Buena Vista ("Vista")	13 Jul 1850 KY?	1 Sep 1928 Eagleville, mo.	ca 1883 Eagleville, mo	Ezekial B. HOBBS
2. Lemuel H.	1 Sep 1851 Eagleville, mo.	31 Aug 1929 Barry Co, mo. Buried BARRY Co, mo.	3 Oct 1875 Harrison Co, mo	Elizabeth BLEVINS Ro
3. Mariah A. (C.?)	2 Oct 1853	16 Oct 1914 Eagleville, mo	Never Married	None
4. Reuben M.	29 Sep 1855 ?	29 Sep 1865		
5. Sarah R.	25 Aug 1857	27 Oct 1917		
6. Elizabeth E. ("Liz")	29 Mar 1859	4 Jan 1941		
7. Mary A.	25 Dec 1860	1861		
8. George W.	12 Dec 1862	23 Jan 1922		
9. Ruth J.	29 Aug 1864	10 Mar 1871		
10. William J.	31 Dec 1866	12 Mar 1871		

FAMILY RECORD SHEET — grandson of Lemuel L (#5 below)

[Kenneth W. SHIRLEY
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Meriden, KS 66512]

PARENTS — GRANDPARENTS

HUSBAND Lemuel H. SHIRLEY

f Daniel R. SHIRLEY — gf Richard SHIRLEY

gm Elizabeth DALE

Date and Place

Birth *? Sep 1851 — Eagleville, Mo. ? Harrison Co., Mo

m America E. DALE — gf William DALE

gm Jane SHIRLEY

Death 31 Aug. 1929 — Barry Co., MO. (Mineral Springs Township, Cato)

(Buried Cato, Mo. — Undertaker: Horine-Culver, Cassville, Mo.)

MARRIAGE 3 Oct. 1875 — Mo.

gf ?

f Thomas BLEVINS

gm ?

WIFE Elizabeth BLEVINS

Birth 11 June 1850 — ? (Butler Township) Miami Co, INDIANA

m Catherine YOUNCE — gf Joseph YOUNCE

gm Elizabeth SHEETS

Death 22 Nov 1936 — Cato, Mo. (Barry Co)

Other marriages of wife ① David ROBERTS (before marriage to Lemuel H. SHIRLEY)

Other marriages of husband

Use other side for other information

Sources of info ① Family memory
② Mo. death records Lemuel H, Lemuel L, & Elizabeth BLEVINS SHIRLEY
③ U.S. Census - 1870 (Harrison Co, Mo): 1900 - Washington Co, ARK.
④ Elsie Herron, Ruth Turner, Mrs Larry Smith - all of Eagleville, Mo. 64442

* probably about 1852 (did not appear in 1850 Census)

Step-children (children of Eliz BLEVINS and David ROBERTS)

YOUR CHILDREN	Date & Place of Birth	Date & Place of Death	Date & Place of Marriage	To Whom
1. Mary F. ROBERTS	ca 1870 ?	? Guthrie, OKLA.		Albert GREEN
2. David M. ROBERTS	3 Aug 1874 ? MO	? 1929 Strong, OKLA. (Mayes Co)	ca 1895	Theola A. SHIELDS
3. Daniel SHIRLEY	ca 1877 ? MO			? WILLIAMS
? 4. Margaret	ca 1878 ? MO			
5. Lemuel Leonard	Oct. 1881, Harrison Co. MO.	26 Oct 1956 Purdy, MO. Barry Co, MO.	1 Mar 1905, Washington Co. ARK.	Sarah (Sa) E. LANE
6. Gertrude	Nov 1885 KS.			Lee STURGELL
7. George	Dec, 1891 MO.			
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Family members talked of "Anna" or "Annie" as another child (could be nickname for [illegible]) = Annie SHIRLEY IRTON

FAMILY RECORD SHEET

son of Kenneth E. [Kenneth W. Shirley, RR1, Box 128, Meriden, KS 66512] #5

PARENTS

GRANDPARENTS

f Lemuel H. SHIRLEY

gf Daniel R. SHIRLEY

gm America E. DALE

HUSBAND Lemuel Leonard SHIRLEY

Date and Place

m Elizabeth BLEVINS

gf Thomas BLEVINS

gm Catherine YOUNCE

Birth 5 Oct. 1881 Harrison Co., MO

Death 26 Oct., 1956, Barry Co., MO. (Purdy, MO.) Buried Maple Hill Cemetary, K.C., Ks.

MARRIAGE 1 Mar 1905, Washington Co., ARK

f William Henry LANE

gf Hugh. LANE

gm Levica (?)

WIFE Sally (Sarah?) E. LANE

m Nancy Jane MURRAY

?gf Shaderack MURRAY

?gm Dorcas J. ARMSTRONG

Birth 6 Oct. 1888, Springdale, ARK (?) (Washington Co.)

Death 5 July 1923, Kansas City, KS (1221 Osage Ave.) (Maple Hill Cemetary - KC, Ks.)

Other marriages of wife None

Other marriages of husband See other side (①Minnie Steele, ②Pearl Gray, ③Lillie Garrison)

Use other side for other information

Sources of info
① Family memory
② US Census, 1880 - Harrison Co., MO, 1900 - Washington Co., ARK
③ MO. death records, for Lemuel L. + Lemuel H.
④ Ks. State Census - 1915 + 1925

R.C. Ks

YOUR CHILDREN	Date & Place of Birth	Date & Place of Death	Date & Place of Marriage	To Whom
1. Bessie Grace (Grace)	Springdale, Ark.	ca. 1975		Paul STEPHENSON
2. Orvan Monroe (Orv.)	14 Nov 1907 Springdale, Ark.			(Clem) Clementine ?
3. Cecil Richard (Gus)	14 Nov 1909, Gutherie, OKLA.			Grace PRIDDY
4. Alice Gertrude	Gutherie, OKLA			Elmer ROSE
5. Kenneth Ed (Slick) (Edward?)	Kansas City, KS			Cleva C. MURPHY
6. Gladys Marie	" "			1. Eugene GILLESPIE 2. William D. BOWMAN
7. Raymond	" "	Died at ~ 2 yrs old		N/A
8. Dorothy Evelyn	" "			1. Hugh W. GILLESPIE 2. David GORMAN
9. Paul Thurmond (Nep)	" "			1. Gladys EYE 2. Marie ?
10. Harold Vernon (Mooch)	" "			Emma Schirbaum
11. Robert Lavaughn	"	Died shortly after birth		

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PARENTS

GRANDPARENTS

* Birth certificate says "Ed"

* HUSBAND Kenneth Ed (Edward?) SHIRLEY

f Lemuel Leonard SHIRLEY

m Sally E. LANE

gf Lemuel H. SHIRLEY

gm Elizabeth BLEVINS

gf William Henry LANE

gm Nancy Jane MURRAY

Date and Place (Wyandotte Co.)

Birth 23 Sep. 1913, Kansas City, Kansas (vicinity of 12th & Osage, Armourdale District)

Death

MARRIAGE 1 May 1937, Kansas City, KS.

f Charles Thomas Nathan MURPHY

m Gertie May TOY

gf Thomas Martin D. MURPHY

gm Mandelia (Mandy) M. KELLY

gf Andrew J. TOY

gm Hulda (J.) BLEDSOE

WIFE Cleva Charlene MURPHY

Birth 20 Aug. 1918 (Benton Co.) Garfield, Ark.

Death 16 June 1954, Siloam Springs, Ark (Buried Maple Hill Cemetary, Kansas City, Kansas)

Sources of info.
1) Family memory

Other marriages of wife none

Other marriages of husband (2) Laura Vergene THOMPSON BURGESS b. 24 Aug 1919, Nebraska

Use other side for other information

..Living 1mi west of Gentry, Ark. at time of death (died in Siloam Springs, Ark Hospital)

YOUR CHILDREN	Date & Place of Birth	Date & Place of Death	Date & Place of Marriage	To Whom
1. Beverly Jean	8 Apr. 1938, Kansas City, KS.			Delbert DUNCAN
2. Judith Ann	26 Dec 1939? " ", MO.?		CA	Wm. J. CHROUST
3. Kenneth Wayne	24 Aug 1942 Kansas City, KS.		22 Jun 1974, Wichita, KS	Jane L. SHOOK
4. Lynda Diann	12 Feb 1947? " " "		CA	James SELDERS
5. Gary Stephen	2 Mar 1948? " " "		KS	Cathy WAGNER
6. Kevin Robert	5 Nov 1953 " " "		Aug 1976, Kansas City, KS	Nancy MILLHOUSE
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FAMILY RECORD SHEET

PARENTS

GRANDPARENTS

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f Kenneth Ed (Edward?) SHIRLEY

gf Lemuel Leonard SHIRLEY

gm Sally E. LANE

HUSBAND Kenneth Wayne SHIRLEY

Date and Place (Wyandotte Co.)

Birth 24 Aug 1942, Kansas City, KS (St. Margaret's Hospital)

m Cleva Charlene MURPHY

gf Charles T.N. MURPHY

gm Gertie May TOY

Death

MARRIAGE 22 Jun 1974, Wichita, KS. (Sedgwick Co.) (St. John's Episcopal Church)

f Edgar Lee SHOOK

gf William Marion SHOOK

gm Eula GARNER

WIFE Jane Louise SHOOK

Birth 16 Dec 1952, Wichita, KS. (Sedgwick Co.) (Wesley Hospital)

m Mary Louise KAELSON

gf Paul Andrew KAELSON, Sr.

gm Ruth Jane SMITH

Death

Other marriages of wife

Other marriages of husband

Use other side for other information

YOUR CHILDREN	Date & Place of Birth	Date & Place of Death	Date & Place of Marriage	To Whom
* 1. Paul Murphy	23 Dec. 1977, Redwood City, CA			
** 2. Daniel Kaelson	21 Dec 1979, Topeka, KS			
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* Parents lived at 421 Oak Grove Ave., Menlo Park, CA. at time of birth.

RICHARD SHIRLEY FAMILY GRPS P. 1

Richard Shirley Jr. b _____
d. Apr 1831 Barren Co. Ky (committed suicide by jumping into a well).
m. Elizabeth Dale Aug 17, 1816 Barren Co. Ky. (dau of Reuben Dale and Sally Gill).
Children:

1. Daniel R. b July 8, 1817 Ky
d. Apr 11, 1876 Harrison Co. Mo
m. America E. Dale (dau of Wm. Dale and Jane "Jennie" Shirley... Jennie was the daughter of James Shirley b. 17___ and Mary, William Dale brother of Elizabeth Dale who married Richard. *Daniel and America would be 1st cousins*)
Children:
(1) Buena "Vista" b July 13, 1850
m. Ezekiel B. Hobbs
(2) Lemuel H. Sept 1851 Mo.
d. Aug 31, 1921 Barry Co Mo
m. Elizabeth Blevins
Children:
A. Daniel b ca. 1877 Mo.
B. Margaret b. ca. 1878 Mo
C. Lemuel L. b. Oct 1881 Harrison Co. Mo.
m. Sally Lane in Washington Co. Arkansas
D. Gertrude b Nov 1885 Kansas
E. George b. Dec 1891 Mo
(3) Mariah b. Oct 2, 1853
(4) Reuben M. b. Sept 29, 1855
(5) Sarah R. b. Aug 25, 1857
(6) Elizabeth b. Mar 29, 1859
(7) Mary A. b Dec 25, 1860
(8) George W. b. Dec 12, 1862
(9) Rutha J. b Aug 29, 1864
(10) Wm. J. b Dec 31, 1866
(11) infant son b&d July 17, 1868
2. Sarah
3. Mariah b. Oct 14, 1821 Barren Co Ky
d July 31, 1890 m. Geo A Reeves
4. Jemima never married
5. America never married
6. Amy b Oct 17, 1829 d May 30, 1897
m. James J. Dale Mar 7, 1861
7. Martha
8. Reuben d. young
9. Lemuel d. young

[Richard Shirley, Jr. is thought to be a son of Richard who died in 1796 in Scott Co. Ky.].

RICHARD SHIRLEY b _____ d 1796 Scott Co Ky
m. Dorcas_____.
known children:

1. Sarah m. Henry Holsclaw
2. Ammey (not married in 1796)
3. Susannah b. Oct 1, 1769 Va.
d. Apr 29, 1848 Boone Co. Ind.
buried Old Mt Taber Cemetary.
m. Benjamin Smith b. Sept 15, 1769
d. Sept 5, 1853 bur Mt Taber Cem.
children:
(1) James Smith m. Jane Higdon
(2) Menoah Smith m. July Ann___
(3) Nancy Smith m. Erasmus Amos
(4) Benj. Smith m. Lily Cox
(5) Aaron Smith m. Frances Thomas
(6) Sarah Smith m. Jesse Smith
(7) Caleb Smith m. Sina Anderson
[their son Wm Robt Smith m. Sarelda Crabb and her mother was Jamima Dale, dau of Reuben Dale and Sally Gill].
(8) Joshua L Smith m. Dolly Helton
(9) Susanne Smith m. Joel Smith
(10) Milly Smith m. Joseph Helton
(11) Eli Smith m. Eliza Anderson

[Reuben Dale and Sally Gill info on p. 12 of Apr '79 NEWS].

Richard Shirley's estate settlement mentions the following names:

Benjamin Smith (son-in-law)
Ezekiel Shirley (nephew)
Thomas Shirley (brother)
Dorcas Shirley (widow)
James Shirley (brother)
George Moore
Henry Holsclaw (son-in-law)
Mathias Weldon
Michael Hammer
James Cullen
Amy Shirley (unmarried daughter)

[Note correction in the statement in past issue of NEWS. George Moore mentioned in estate settlement... not Richard's will].

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YOUR HELP!!! IS NEEDED IF we are to continue to have stories and pictures for the SHIRLEY NEWS!

We need this particularly on the:
GEORGIA SHIRLEYS TENNESSEE SHIRLEYS
BARREN AND ADAIR CO KY SHIRLEYS
WALTER SHIRLEYS BRANCH & JAMES AND
JUDITH GARRIOTT BRANCH & ALABAMA SHIRLEYS
TEXAS SHIRLEYS MISSISSIPPI SHIRLEYS.. etc.

M. Shirley
1007 Fredrick Dr. S.
Indianapolis, Ind. 46260
Mar 1982

Dear Ruth,

Good to talk to you last night, and I am sorry about what has happened. I do hope we can pick this thing up at some later date when some of us have had a chance to absorb all the neat stuff you have sent out.

Enclosed is your check--torn up. You've spent that much on us in paper and postage and then some; plusthere has to be someway to thank you for your labor of love.

I realize now that I just recently received the "From England to N. Carolina" book from Guy with a note saying he had thought he had mailed it to me ages ago. I'm wading through it now in my "spare" time. Dick Vogt also wants it; and then we will see that it gets back to you. He never said a word in that note about his real feelings. Maybe he's the kind that just blows off and forgets it.

Personally, I wouldn't have the nerve to make the kind of brash judgments he attributes to you on paper in a letter, when I had never known you face to face. He IS young! Another of those genealogical bugs who got started early--and thank God for that kind. I'm going to wait a while--quite a while--to drop him a note. People do strange things--and I have yet to see how his letter could possibly have served him any good purposes--and he should have known better.

Also forgot to tell you that Dick Vogt told me last night that he had found an obituary on Edmund Shirley (son [illegible] the Planter, who married first Susannah, and second Elizabeth Roach--Scott Co., Ky.) This obituary says that Edmund was born in Culpepper, Va.

I'll ask him to make a copy of it for us.

Want to get this in the mail this morning if I'm not already too late. My best to you, and we'll keep in touch.

Affectionately,

6. William Roach b. Aug. 7, 1814 Ky. d. Aug. 5, 1862 Logan Co., Ill.
m. Elizabeth Dorothy Alsop Jan 11, 1835, Scott Co., Ky.

Children

(1) James William b. Dec. 8, 1835 d. Feb. 1, 1916
m. Elizabeth C. Stewart March 17, 1859

(2) Martha Noel b. July 19, 1837 d. Jan. 17, 1916
m. Elisha Baker Ashley May 20, 1860

(3) John Wesley b. Apr. 22, 1839 d. Mar. 10, 1920
m. Frances Sumner Jan. 19, 1865

(4) Spencer Henry b. Jan. 1, 1841 d. July 16, 1918
m. Martha Ann Smallwood Apr. 18, 1869

(5) Oliver Allen b. Mar. 28, 1843 d. Apr. 19, 1915
m. Mary Frances Sumner April 15, 1869

(6) Emily Ann b. Apr. 16, 1845 d. June 28, 1853

(7) George Robert b. June 7, 1847 d. June 24, 1912

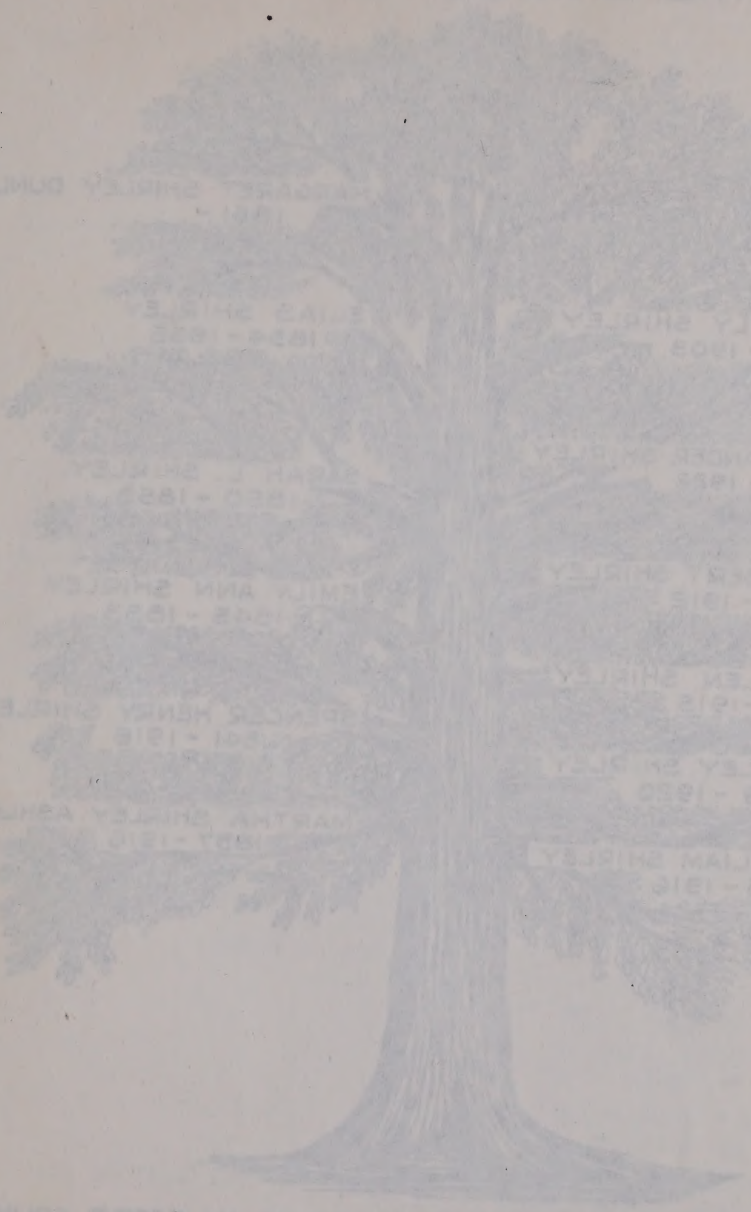
(8) Sarah L. b. Jan. 22, 1850 d. June 27, 1853

(9) Charles Alexander b. Mar. 9, 1852 d. Apr. 29, 1922
m. Helen M. Caldwell Aug. 9, 1877

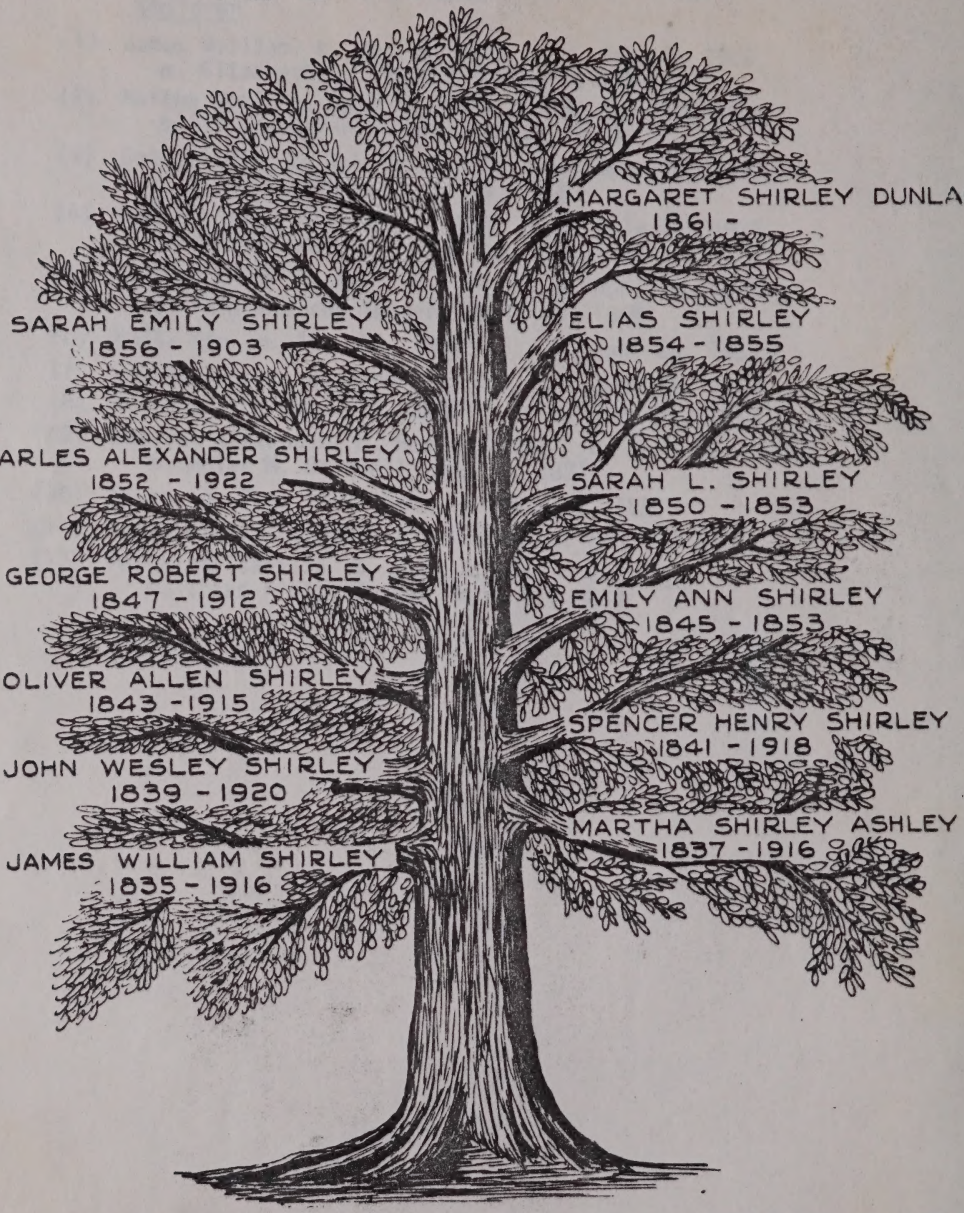
(10) Elias b. Dec. 16, 1854 d. July 26, 1855

(11) Sarah Emily b. Sept. 15, 1856 d. Feb. 4, 1903

(12) Margaret Isabelle b. Mar. 7, 1861 d. ?
m. Isaas Finlay Dunlap Mar. 11, 1883



THE SHIRLEY FAMILY



WILLIAM ROACH SHIRLEY
1814 - 1862

ELIZABETH DOROTHY SHIRLEY
1819 - 1903

MARRIED IN SCOTT COUNTY, KENTUCKY, JANUARY 11, 1835.

MOVED TO LOGAN COUNTY, ILLINOIS IN 1846.

IN 1851 MOVED TO "SHIRLEY HOMESTEAD."

ARGELAND b. ca. 1756 Northumberland Co., Va.
(He appears on Prince William Co., Va. tax list - 1783.
In 1785 he and wife Susannah appear as original members of the old Turkey Creek Baptist church in Abbeyville Co., S.C.)

m. 1st. Susannah _____
m. 2nd. Esther Allen Roach - widow of William Roach

(known) Children

1. Edmund b. March 29, 1783 Va. d. Jan. 2, 1860 Boone Co., Ind.
   m. Philadelphia Perry

   Children

   (1) son - prob. died young
   (2) Presly b. ca. 1807 Ky.
      m. Lucinda
      (Went to Randolph Co., Mo.)
   (3) Emela P. b. ca. 1809 Ky. d. 1865/70 Howard Co., Ind.
      m. 1st. Mary Jane _____
      m. 2nd. Mariah A. Lasher Young
      (They & descendants lived in Webster Co., Neb. & Vermillion Co., Ill.)
   (4) Daniel b. March 2, 1811 Ky. d. Jan. 1901 Marion Co., Ind.
      m. Susannah _____
   (5) William P. b. ca. 1813 Ky.
      m. Lydia Pugh (?)
   (6) Miletus b. ca. 1815 Ky. d. 1887 Webster Co., Neb.
      m. Irene Johnson
   (7) Doctor Jackson b. ca. 1818 Ky. d._____ Howard Co., Ind.
      m. Waitsel Seward
   (8) Bartlette b. ca. 1820 Ky.
      m. Mary "Polly" Deweese
   (9) Polly S. b. May 8, 1822 Ky. d. 1842
      m. Trustor Woolen
   (10) James S. b. ca. 1828 Ky.
      m. Priscilla Carter Dec. 20, 1849 Hendrickson, Ind.
   (11) Avarina Amanda Malvina b. ca. 1830
      m. William T. Swiggert Oct. 13, 1853

2. Dolly b. ca. 1778
   m. Ezekiel

3. Nancy b. ca. 1780
   m. Mr. Smith

4. Elizabeth "Betsey" b. ca. 1782
   m. Mr. Wright

5. Jane b. ca. 1790 Abbeyville Co., S.C. d. 1840 Scott Co., Ky.
   m. James Perry in 1807

   Children

   (1) Milton Perry
   (2) Whit Perry
   (3) James Perry

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Charles Johnson Served in The Revol. War From Maryland.

William & Margaret Found in Mercer Co. Tax Lists 1794-1805 These Tax Lists indicate 2 or 3 young males (16-21) in Their household 1799 Thru 1805. Possibly Grandsons and my William b. ca. 1787. (I hope).

William Lived in Mercer Co. at This Time but owned Land in Scott Co.

It is my opinion That William was in Ky. ca. 1785.

I currently have a query To Ky. Historical Society on Possible Land Grants or Warrants To William Shirley & James Shirley.

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William Shirley

William Shirley (Probably the Sr. member of this Group) b. ca. 1735, d. 1802 - 1805 m. Margaret ___ b. ? d. ? (after 1811).

William Shirley will written 1799 probated Scott Co. Ky, 1805.

Names:

Wife - Margaret

Sons: Heirs of son William
Heirs of son Richard
Son John & heirs
Son Robert & heirs
dau. Rebecca (No heirs mentioned)
dau. Sarah Johnson (b. ca. 1765)

Heirs mentioned but not named.

Executors: Margaret Shirley & Charles Johnson (son-in-law)

To date have documented only dau. Sarah Johnson in Ky, (speaking of issue of Wm. & Margaret.)

Sarah Johnson & husband Charles living in Scott Co. 1820 had known issue: Rebecca 23, Betsy 21, Dorothy 20, Robert 17, Charles -, Benny 15 and Nancy 12.

(9) (4)

Archibald Shirley

Archibald Shirley also found as Argibill, Arge, Argi and Ardah. Seems no one could spell Archie.

Archibald Shirley b. ca. 1750, d. 1817 Scott Co. Ky. m. 1st ? _____ m. 2nd Esther Roach.

Do not have this will. (Will copies ordered)

Argi Shirley will Scott Co. 1817

Wife Esther (2nd wife)

Sons: Edmund
William (not yet 18 yrs).

Daus: Dolly Shirley
Nancy Smith
Betsy Wright.
Jane Perry
Polly
Malinda Roach (dau. of Esther)

Executor: Alexander Bradford.

Dau. Dolly m. Ezekiel Shirley

Argi's 1st wife Possibly Elizabeth? It is my opinion that Argi's 1st wife died shortly after 1810. Wm. + Polly children of Argi + Esther

Will of Argelard Shirley
Scott Co Ky.
from Betty Shirley

[illegible] Court of Scott [illegible] shall be thereto required by the Court [illegible] good Chattles & Credits do make and truly administer [illegible] do make a just & true account of [illegible] thereto required by the said Court [illegible] goods Chattles & Credits which shall come [illegible] the administrator the [illegible]

[illegible] made by the said [illegible] obtain a certificate of the probate [illegible]

Test I Bartley Jr in the case being required [illegible] of said Court the above obligation to be void or else to remain in full force

Thomas Bartley (Seal)
Attest [illegible] Lewis Gulbson (Seal)
Saml Shepard R ob McMatton (Seal)
Scott County Set Sct Court 1818

The foregoing Administrators bond was this acknowledged in open Court by the obligators & ordered to be recorded

Attest P. I. Chambers C.S.C.C.

In the name of god amen I Argel Shirley of the County of Scott and State of Kentucky being weak in body but of sound and perfect mind and memory thanks be to Almighty god and knowing it is appointed for all men once to die do hereby order this my last will and testament in manner & form following & desire my body at my decease to be buried in a decent [illegible] burial at the discretion of my Executor hereafter named [illegible] Touching my worldly goods which it has pleased god to bless [illegible] I do hereby give and bequeath in manner & form following to wit all the property I got with my wife Esther at my marriage with her I do hereby give and bequeath to her and at her disposal after my decease including a decent more of mine in lieu of a grey more I disposed of belonging to her at our marriage which said horse more I have no doubt is equal in value if not more to the grey above named I moreover give and bequeath to my said wife Esther the tract of [illegible] land whereon I

Love during her natural life or Widowhood & that
unto my Son William Who I have by my Last Will
at the age of eighteen years with this Exception That there
Shall be no tenant or family except there own the se
Premises and that Each my Said Wife Esther Mitchell
remove from the Said Land This my express wish
and desire that the said Tract of Land Should be
rented out by my Executor and the proceeds go to my
Said Son William until he arrives to the age of eighteen
years and in case my Said Son Should not arrive to
the age of eighteen years My intention is that my
Said Wife Continue the Said premises with . . .
exception until that period may arrive that he Should
. . . the age of eighteen year by Living all the
property of . . . Lastly I may die possessed of I
hereby give and bequeath the one Third part of the pay
Said Wife Esther during her life or Widohood and the
Cattle to be sold by . . . and the proceeds
therefrom to . . . . . one an interest
until he . . . . . I order to be . . .
. . . . . .
. . . . . except so much . . . .
. . . I give and bequeath to my . . . . .
. . Sally Shirley Nancy Smith Edward Shirley
. . Betsy Wright & Jane Berry the sum of five
. . to each to be paid them by my Executor after
my decease . . . With all and Singular Whatever I
May have heretofore . . . them and their heirs forever
And in case my Said Son William Shirley Should
not arrive at the age of eighteen years my
that the property left him Should be equally
divided among my other Six Children to wit
Sally Nancy Edward Polly Betsy and Jane to them
and their heirs forever With the exception . . .
excepted I also give and bequeath to my Wife
. . . . . Bible . . . . .

Witness my hand and seal . . . . . this 29th day of
Therefrom to . . . . . Love and interest
untill he . . . . . I Order to be

except so much

I give and bequeath to my . . . . .
Polly Shirley Nancy Smith Edward Shirley
Betsey Wright & Lane Perry the sum of five
To each to be paid them by my Executor after
My decease . . . With all and singular Whatever I
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And in case my said son William Shirley should
Not arrive at the age of eighteen years my . . .
that the prosperity left him Should be equally
divided among my other six Children to wit
Polly Nancy Edward Polly Betsey and Lane to them
And their heirs forever with the exception . . .
excepted I also give and bequeath to my Wifes
daughter Malinda Brock my Sugar desk I do
hereby appoint my friend Alexander Bradford my
Sole Executor to this my last will and Testament
revoking all wills by me made formerly In
testimony Whereof I have hereto set my hand and
affixed my seal this the 29th day of July in the year
of our Lord one thousand eight hundred fourteen
Signed Sealed & acknowledged } Argo his X Shirley (Seal)
in the presence of us by Argo mark Shirley as his last will
and testament in the presence of us as witnesses

Lewis his X Smith
mark
Lewis Smith
Bark Smith

Scott Circuit to Wit July Court 1818

The foregoing instrument of writing purporting to be the last Will & Testament of Jorge Shirley was this day produced to Court by Alexander Bradford Executor therein named and proved to be the last Will & testament of said dec.d by the oaths of Lewis Smith Lewis Smith & Bark Smith the Subscribing Witnesses thereto & ordered to be recorded and the said Executor having taken the oath according to Law & entered into Bond with R McCalla in the penalty of 200 ℔ condition as the direct. probat is granted &c

Attest B. L. Chambers C.S.C.C

Know all Men by these presents that we Alexander Bradford and R McCalla are held and bound unto the Common wealth of Ky in the sum of $300 Current money to be paid to the said Commonwealth the payment whereof will & truly to be made we bind ourselves our heirs Executors and administrators jointly & severally by these presents Sealed and dated the 6th day of July 1818 The condition of the above obligation is such that the said Alexander Bradford as Executor of all the good Chattles & credits of Jorge Shirley dec.d do make a true and perfect Inventory & singular the goods chattles

[illegible] shall be thereto required by the said [illegible] rule and truly administer according [illegible] account of all actings and doings therein when [illegible] by the said Court & Specifications in the said Will [illegible] & pay all the [illegible] & Specification the said Will [illegible] all [illegible] the said goods chattles and Credits [illegible] according to the value thereof and as the Law shall charge him obligation to be void else to remain in full force

Alex Bradford (Seal)
R McCalla (Seal)

---- except so much
I give and bequeath to my ---------- Sully Shirley, Nancy smith, Edward (Edmund) Shirley, Betsy Wright and Jane Perry the sum of five --to each to be paid them by my executor after my decease ---- with all and singular whatsoever I may have heretofore ---- them and their heirs forever and in case my said son William should not arrive at the age of 18 years my ---- that the property left him should be equally divided among my other six children to wit: Dully (Sully) Nancy, Edward, Polly, Betsy and Jane to them and their heirs forever with the exception--

Excepted I also give and bequeath to my wife's daughter Malinda Roach my sugar desk. I do hereby appoint my friend Alexander Bradford my sole executor to this my last Will and Testement revoking all Wills by me made formerlly; In testemony whereof I have hereto set my hand and affixed my seal this twentyninth day of July in the year of our Lord One thousand eight hundred seventeen.

Signed sealed and acknowledged in the presence of us by Arge Shirley as his last Will and Testement in the presence of us Wit:

Arge Shirley)Seal)

his
Lewis x Smith
mark

James Smith

Ba-h Smith

Scott County Court July 1818

The foregoing instrument of writing purporting to be the last will and testement of Arge Shirley was this day produced to court by Alexxander Bradford Executor therein named and proved to be the last will of said dec'd by the Oaths of Lewis Smith, James Smith and Boah Smith such witnesses thereto and ordered to be recorded and the said Executor having taken the Oath according to law and entered into Bond with R.McCalla in the penalty of $300.00 conditioned as the law directs probate is granted.

Attest : B.G. Chambers CSCC

I, Malle B. Coyle, A Notary, affirms the above is a true and exact copy of the Will of Arge Shirley as found in the office of County Clerk of Scott County, Kentucky.

Malle B. Coyle

My Commission expires July 31, 1982

SCOTT COUNTY, KENTUCKY

Will Book D page 339

From Betty Shirley

In the Name of God Amen: I, Arge Shirley of the county of Scott and State of Kentucky being weak in body but of sound and perfect mind and memory thanks be to Almighty God and knowing it is appointed forall men once to die do hereby order this my last will and testement in manner and form following : I desire my body at my decease to be buried in a decent burial at the descretion of my executor hereafter named--- touching my worldly goods which it has pleased God to bless.

I do hereby give and bequeath in manner and form following to wit: all the property I got with my wife Esther at my marriage with her, I hereby give and bequeath to her and at her disposal after my decease; including a sorrel mare of mine in lieu of a gray mare I dispossed of belonging to her at our marriage which said sorrell mare I have no doubt is equal in value if not more so then the gray above named. I moreover give and bequeath to my said wife Esther the tract of land whereon I now live during her natural life or widowhood or last until my son William who I had by my said wife arrives at the age of 18 years with this exception that there shall be no tenet or family except her own on the said premises and in case said wife Esther wishes to remove from the said land tis my express wish and desire that the said tract of land should be rented out by my executor and the proceeds go to my said son William until he arrives to the age of 18 years and in case my said son should not arrive to the age of 18 years my intention is that my said wife continues with the said premises with ----- exceptions until that period may arrive that he would ---- the age of 18 years if living all the property of ---- kind I may die possessed of. I hereby give and bequeath the one third part of to the said wife Esther during her life or widowhood and the balance to be sold by ----- and the proceeds there-from to ------ son on interest until he ----------. Order to be

MUCH MISSING

NOTE_ -- Courthouse burned and books damaged by fire and water.

Scott County, Kentucky

Deed Book B pg 282 April 10, 1815

Abstract.

James Suggett - John Suggett - James Johnson - William Suggett Robert Johnson to Edmund Shirley.

Will Book D pg 448 - 452

William Shirley much missing. Edmund not named.

Order Book A pg 65 July 26, 1796

Ordered that Benjamin Smith - James Suggett- James Drake and Thomas Drake or any three of them appraised in current money the personal Estate and slaves if any of Richard Shirley deceased and return Inventory thereof to court.

page 98 Mon. Sept. 25, 1797

Ordered that Josiah Potts - John Hunter and Jno Hawkins or any two of them settle with Thomas Shirley his Administrator on the Estate of Richard Shirley dec'd and return the accounts thereof to court.

Mrs. Marian Shirley
1007 Fredrick Dr. S.
Indianapolis IN 46280

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THE KENTUCKY SHIRLEYS

Among the earliest Kentucky settlers are James, Thomas, Richard and Argeland--all Shirley.

Family tradition holds that Richard is the brother of James and Thomas who were obviously brothers. The problem is that the records are not clear about Richard---

James and Thomas, sons of Daniel, had a brother Richard in Virginia and probably Abbeyville, S.C. It is not clear that this Richard in Kentucky is the same Richard; most Shirleys feel that without hard proof, it can be safely assumed that it is the same.

The Richard problem

Richard m. Margaret in Virginia.
Richard and Margaret show up on church records in Abbeyville, S.C. where the family migrated before coming to Kentucky.
This Richard appears in Abbeyville census records with a large family of male adolescents as well as daughters.
The church records also show a Dorcas Cullens, a Richard and Dorcas Shirley and a Richard and Peggy. (also Abbeyville)

Scott Co. Ky: Richard and Dorcas Shirley receive land. Richard died under strange circumstances quite suddenly in 1796, very shortly after their arrival in Scott Co.

This Richard's estate settlement (there was no will) names the widow Dorcas and three daughters. Additional funds were allowed for other heirs--either under age or out of state. No further records has been found about the other heirs. The above Thomas Shirley was the executor, which suggests a relationship.

Dorcas moved on to Barren Co., Ky. with the families of James and Thomas. Cousins married cousins.

No. 1

It is theorized that Richard's first wife was Margaret, and that there were older children including the daughters from this marriage. Margaret may have died in Abbeyville, and Richard married (2) Dorcas Cullens (or at least a lady named Dorcas)

There may have been younger children by this wife, as well as older sons by the first one; however, no trace of sons or other children besides the three daughters has yet been found.

Argeland - is presumed to be the first cousin of James and Thomas (and Richard). There are some Shirleys, family tradition not withstanding, who are not sure this Argeland is the same as the Argeland in Virginia and S. C. There seem to be a number of Argelands, Argebills, Ergebills, Archelons etc. in the records. However, the marriage of Ezekiel and Dulcy (children of James and Arge) would suggest that some relationship existed.

Richard — b. c. 1830

m. Margaret

They were dismissed from the Broad Run Baptist Church June 12, 1774 in Fauquier Co. Va. and came to Culpeper Co. Va.

Jan. 22, 1785 they were among the Charter members of the Old Turkey Creek Baptist Church in Abbeyville Co. S.C.

CHILDREN

~~Possibly same Richard, son of Daniel and Martha~~

was planning to move away but became ill and died of pneumonia in July 1866 in Saline Co. Ark.

The next news of the family is 1870 census record of Pulaski Co. Ark. (Lonoke C . after 1873) where widow Penelope Long is living with her children in Caroline Twp. About 1874, her son Joseph Morgan married Sabra Bearden and moved to Texas, coming first thru Kennedale, Texas, then on to Motague Co. where he stayed a year or so, then settled at Vashti in Clay Co. where he had a large family and lived for many years. He finally moved to Wichita Falls where he died in 1926. It is not known whether Penelope and the young girls came at first or not but they did come, then, or soon after. By 1880, the daughter Sytha Francis had married H.V. Smith and was living in Kennedale and her sister Mary Letha was living with her. In 1882 the daughter Virginia married Sam Duncan in Mansfield, Texas near Kennedale. They lived most of their lives in Stephens Co. Oklahoma. According to the story, Penelope became ill and died somewhere besides Vasti and was taken to Montague, either county or townm to be buried about 1878-77. There is no monument.

sent by Dorothy Hillard

AMBROSE SHIRLEY of NORFOLK, VA.

Ann D. Shirley, widow and relict of Ambrose Shirley of Norfolk, and heir of Robert Tompkins and Christopher Tompkins, dec'd., being granddaughter of the former, and only surviving child of the latter, now residing in the Borough of Norfolk Virginia, nominates and appoints her friend Robert Brough of the same place as her true and lawful attorney in fact, to ask, demand, sue for, recover, and receive all rents, arrears, damages or claims now due or which may hereafter become due on her lands in Kentucky, and to sell and convey the same, to settle disputes, and to do all matters relative. July 1, 1817, and recorded by the Kentucky Court of Appeals, August 15, 1817.

sent by Elwood Shirley
(Elwood comments he has read, somewhere, a statement by Ann that her husband Ambrose Shirley went to sea in 1815, and did not return).

BARREN CO. KENTUCKY SHIRLEYS

SARAH SHIRLEY, daughter of Richard Shirley, married Henry Holtsclaw.

children

1. Malinda Holtsclaw m. Jacky Bowles
2. Elizabeth Holtsclaw m. Samuel Cummins
3. Enock Holtsclaw m. Jolliffe Jehoctah
4. James Holtsclaw m. Rhoda McRae
5. Richard Holtsclaw m. Polly Smith
6. Milly Holtsclaw m. Wm. Neville
7. Sally Holtsclaw m. John Walters
8. Henry Holtsclaw m. Mary Griggs

(order of births unknown)

Data obtained from:
Will of Henry Holtsclaw Jr. Barren Co. Ky.
Will book 2 page 160, date, Sept 6, 1823
probated Oct. Court 1823.
Barren Co. Ky. marriage records.

The will of Henry Holtsclaw Jr.
wife: Polly
Father and mother: Henry Holtsclaw and Sally.
Brothers: Enoch, James and Richard Holtsclaw. Sisters: Milley Neville, Malinda Bowles, Sally Walters, Elizabeth Cummins.
Witnesses: James Cummins, John Harding, Peggy Cummins.

Caleb Shirley was one of the appraisers of the estate of Henry Holtsclaw Jr.

Henry Jr. married and died in the same year.

sent by Elwood Shirley

From: 2200 Gravestone Inscriptions from Winchester & Frederick Co. Va.
Book IV. SHIRLEY

Christian Thomas	1850-1911	61 yrs.
Roda (his wife)	1850-1912	62 yrs.
North E. (son)	1887-1909	22 yrs
Oliver C.	1880-1943	63 yrs
Minnie Dehaven	1885-1932	47 yrs
Howard	1885-1935	50 yrs
Lilly F.	1888-1949	51 yrs

Eva Brooks Shirley 1846, lost 3 infants

Chambers Co. Ala.

Deborah Ann Shirley m. Henry J. Robinson Sept 28, 1845
Amanda Shirley m. William Saxon Sept 28. 1845.

from Florence Hodges

(6) (7)

Richard Shirley

Richard Shirley b. — d. 1796 Scott Co. Ky. m. Dorcas ____

Known Issue:

(1) Sarah b. ca. 1775 m. Henry Holsclaw b. ca. 1775 VA. (From Scott Co. To Barren Co. ca. 1799) m. before 1797.

(2) Susannah (Susey) b. ___ m. Benjamin Smith. Married prior To 1797,

(3) Amey unwed 1797. (She purchased bed & Furniture and Looking Glass at Sale of her Father's Estate)

Dorcas To Barren Co. 1799. She bought a small plot of land From Moses and Nancy Shirley.

Thos. Shirley Sr. Admin. Estate of Richard Shirley
Amount of money held in Contra indicates possibly 6 or 7 heirs not including Dorcas, Sarah, Susey and Amey. Older children not present at The Settlement or Perhaps minor children?
Sons of Richard unknown To me at This writing. (I have ~~Apraistal~~ Appraisal, Sale & Settlement of Richard's Estate)

Are These Men Sons of Richard and Dorcas Shirley

RICHARD SHIRLEY, b. VA, d. in Scott Co.KY 1796 int. His estate was administered by his brother Thomas Shirley.

Those named in the settlement included the widow Dorcas; and daus. Sarah wife of Henry Holzclaw; Susannah wife of Benjamin Smith, and Amy - unwed at the time. The amount of held in contra indicates possibly an additional 6-7 heirs. Those who have researched this have never found any record of the final settlement which might have named these other persons. II think it still was not settled by c.1814, according to some record somebody found. Now I can't find my information on the subject.)

The widow of Richard moved on to Barren Co. when all the others did. It has been assumed, but never proved, that the "spare" Shirleys associated with the Barren Co. group were the sons of Richard. Don't think a LWT for Dorcas has ever been found.

Moses, Richard, Daniel, and Nimrod (also possibly Thomas--more than one Thomas) all appear in Dripping Springs Bapt. Church minutes--as do Henry and Sarah (Shirley) Holtzclaw; Susannah (Shirley) and Benjamin Smith. Also Dorcas Shirley.

When James Shirley d. 1801, some of these men bought things at the estate sale.

<u>The Spare Shirleys are:</u>

RICHARD Shirley (called "Richard Jr."): m. Elizabeth Dale 17 Aug 1816; d. Apr 1831 Barren Co.KY
Chn: Daniel R.; Sarah; Mariah; Jemima, Martha, America, Amy Elizabeth, Reuben, Lemuel/Samuel.

Recvd. in Drip.Sprngs 5 Apr 1801; still there in Jan 1821 when Isaac Dale stabbed him. (didn't kill him)

DANIEL Shirley: b. Mar 1783; m. Elizabeth Howell 23 Mar 1805; d. 6 Oct 1823 Barren Co.

Chn.Moses, James H., Lucinda, Carter T., and Martha Ann.

Appears in Dripping Springs minutes from Mar.1801 thru 1821--was Ministerial Aid, and believe he finally served as pastor of Blue Springs Bapt. Church, but can't find it in Drip.Spngs.minutes right now.

NIMROD Shirley - b. 1785 SC, m. Elizabeth Dale 7 Sep 1807 - Barren Co.--
Rec. Drip. Spngs. Bap.Church 4 Mar 1801; still there in 1811; eventually dism.

MOSES Shirley - b. c. 1780 NC; m. 3 Dec 1798 to Nancy Dale Barren Co., d. 27 Nov 1816 Hamilton Co.IL
Chn: John, Mary, Isaac, Nancy, Elizabeth, Moses, Millie, Eliza, Sarah

Rec. Drp.Spngs.Church 6 Mar 1801--was still active 1819.

THOMAS Shirley - m. Polly Carson 10 Feb 1811 - Barren Co. KY

Richard Shirley family

9-25-91

Richard, m. Dorcas ---; d. 1796 Scott Co.KY

Chn: 1. Sarah Shirley, m. by 1796 Henry Holtzclaw (named in Richard's estate settlement)

2. Susannah Shirley, b. 1 Oct 1767 VA
m. c.1790 Benjamin Smith, SC (b. 15 Sep 1764 VA; d.5 Sep 1853, Boone Co.IN)
d. 29 Apr 1848, Boone Co.IN

info sources: Richard Shirley est.adm; 1850 cns.; Barren Co.KY and Boone Co.IN records

3. Amy Shirley - unwed in 1796, named in Richard Shirley's estate adm.

Other Shirleys who appear to be older children of Richard and Dorcas, because they appeared in Barren Co. KY with the rest of the Shirley clan, including the widow Dorcas. No proof has been found of their relationship to the family, were not named in Richard Shirleys estate administration. The estate was divided in about 8 parts--4 of which were for Dorcas, the widow, and the three daughters. There was reference to "other heirs" unnamed.

1. Richard Shirley "Jr." - m. 17 Aug 1816 Elizabeth Dale, Barren Co.KY
d. Apr 1831, Barren Co.

2. Moses Shirley - b.c.1780 N or SC
m. 3 Dec 1798 Nancy Dale, Warren Co.KY (parent co. of Barren Co.)
d. 27 Nov 1861, Hamilton Co.IL

3. Nimrod Shirley - b. c.1785 SC
m. Elizabeth Dale 7 Sep 1807, Barren Co.KY

4. Daniel Shirley - b. Mar 1783
m. 23 Mar 1805 to Elizabeth Howell Barren Co.KY
d. 6 Oct 1823 Barren Co.KY

m. 7 Sep 1807 Elizabeth Dale, Barren Co.KY

Compiled by Marian O. Shirley
1007 Fredrick Dr. S.
Indianapolis, IN 46260

from Shirley News, published by the Shirley Ass'n.

Family Group Reco

Husband Richard Shirley Wife Do

m. _____ pl. _____

b. c1748 b. _____

pl. Prince William Co. Va pl. _____

d. 1796 d. _____

pl. Scott Co - Ky pl. _____

bur. _____ bur. _____

Parents

Dad _____ Dad _____

Mom _____ Mom _____

Occupation, Church Affilistions, Lvd. at--, Mil.

Death under odd circumstances?

Children	Born Date - Place	Died Date - Pla
Sarah		
Ammey		
Susannah	10-1-1769 Va.	4-29-18 Boone Co

...and notes...

Richard Shirley b. ___ Va., d. 1797 Scott Co., Ky.
m. Dorcas _____
His estate sale mentions Thomas, James, Ezekiel, Dorcas (his widow) Amey, Benjamin Smith and Henry Holsclaw. His estate settlement names Dorcas (widow), daughter Sarah Shirley - wife of Henry Holsclaw, daughter Susy (Susannah) - wife of Benjamin Smith, daughter Amey (not married). Amount of contra held by Administrator Thomas Shirley indicates possibly 7 or 8 other heirs. There must be some sons. Could it be that in 1797 this family was preparing to move to Barren Co., Ky. and the sons had gone on to Barren Co.?

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(1)

James Shirley

James Shirley b. est: 1740, d. 1801 Barren Co. Ky. m. Mary ? b.? d. 1833 Barren Co.

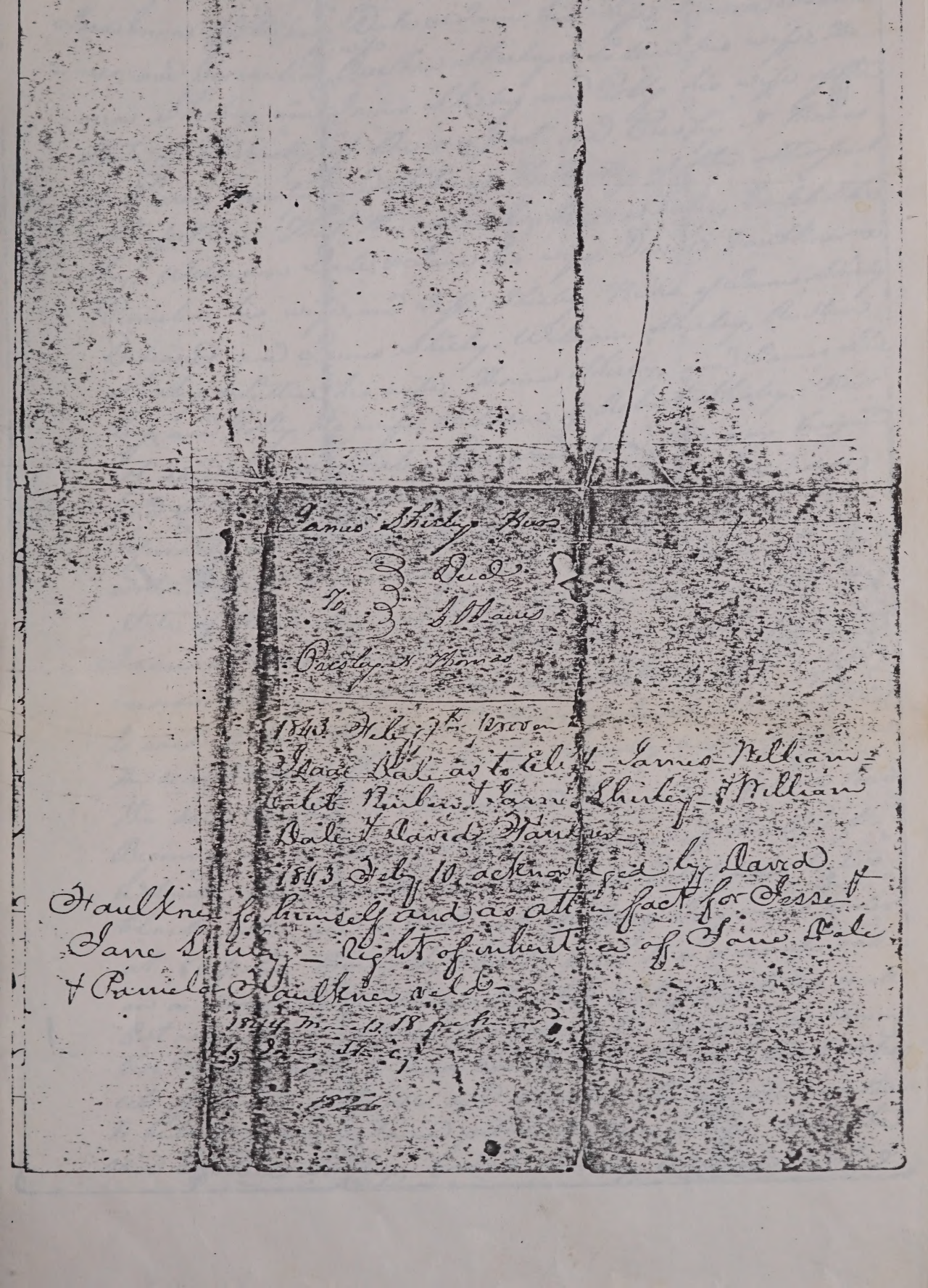
Known issue:

1. Robert Shirley m. Elizabeth Shirley
2. Melinda b. 1791 S.C. m. Pressley N. Thomas
3. Permelia b. 1793 Ky. m. David Faulkner
4. Lucinda (said to have never wed).
5. Nimrod m. Betsy Dale (Nimrod thought to be grown man prior to 1800. Not much known about him in Ky, Nimrod in Ill. 1830).
6. Caleb b. 1788 S.C. m. Phoebe Gibbons Caleb in Missouri 1850.

Daniel b. 1782 Va., Ezekiel (m. dau. Dolly of Archibald), Moses are possible sons of James and Mary

Parentage unknown; Deliliah, another Richard, another Elizabeth and perhaps a few others.

James Shirley Estate Appraisal and Sale Barren Co. 1801. (I have copies of this)



This Indenture made and entered into this 15
day of December in the year of our Lord one thousand
Eight hundred and Forty four between Ezekiel Shirley, Caleb
1842 Shirley, James Shirley, William Shirley of the state of
Indianna, William Dale & Jane his wife David Faulk
-ner, and Permelia his wife, Reuben Shirley & Lettice his wife, Tho-
-mas Shirley, and James Shirley and Polly his wife of the
State of Kentucky, of the one part and Presley & Thomas
of Barren County and State of Kentucky of the other part
witnesseth — That the said Ezekiel Shirley, Caleb Shir
-ley, William Dale, & Jane his wife, David Faulkner &
Permelia, his wife, and Jesse Shirley Heirs of James Shirley
Deceased, and James Shirley, William Shirley, Reuben
Shirley, & Lettice his wife, Thomas Shirley, and James Shir
-ley, and Polly his wife, children of Robert Shirley, Heir
of said James Shirley Deceased have this day bargained
and sold, and by these presents do bargain and sell
and Sell severally and severally all their Several interests, in a
certain tract or parcel of Land lying in Barren County &
State of Kentucky, and being the late residence of the said
James Shirley Deceased on Blue Spring creek, for and in
consideration of Three hundred dollars, (being fifty dollars
to each of the above named Heirs of James Shirley Dec'd)
the receipt whereof they do hereby severally acknowledge, unto
the said Presley & Thomas, and bounded as follows towit
Beginning on William Twymans corner of ten Black
Walnuts, thence with his line N 20 E 179 poles to two
black oaks and a Post oak passing Twymans corner
at 80 poles, thence N 70 E 179 poles to a Swamp oak
in a small Pond, thence N 20 E 179 poles to two small
Post oaks, thence N 70 W 179 poles to the Beginning containing
two hundred acres, to have and to hold the said tract or par
cel of Land, with all and singular the appurtinances there
to belonging, and contained within the boundary. And the
said Ezekiel Shirley, Caleb Shirley, William Dale

and Jane his wife, David Faulkner & Permelia his wife Jesse Shirley, James Shirley, William Shirley, Reuben Shirley & Lettice his wife, Thomas Shirley and James Shirley & Polly his wife, The said tract of land unto the said Priestly & Thomas do warrant and forever defend the right and title to their several interests, to be free from the claim or claims of all and every Person or persons whatsoever— In testimony whereof the said Ezekiel Shirley &c have hereunto set their hands and affixed their seals, the day and year first above written

(Entertined before signed) + Ezekiel Shirley (Seal)

Signed seald and delivered in presence of —— attes

Isaac Dale

Parthena Dale

+ James Shirley his mark (Seal)

+ William Shirley his mark (Seal)

+ Caleb Shirley (Seal)

+ Reuben Shirley (Seal)

+ Lettice Shirley his mark (Seal)

+ William Dale (Seal)

+ Jane Dale (Seal)

+ David Faulkner (Seal)

+ Permelia Faulkner (Seal)

Jesse Jane his wife → + Jesse Shirley (Seal)

By their att in fact → + David Faulkner (Seal)

+ Thomas Priestly (Seal)

attest Henry Shirley

+ James Shirley (Seal)

Mary Shirley (Seal)

		£	s.
13	one Slate and Looking Glass	0	76
	one dot of Knives & forks	0	76
	one Bed & furniture	10	00
	one Do	10	00
	one Do	10	00
	one flat Iron	1	00
	four Bills	1	00
	one Scythe	0	75
	one Board & Calf	10	00
		338	80

Given under our hand the day and year above Written.

John Garnett
Edward Young
Richd. Waggener

Barren County Court December County Court 1801

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Test [illegible]

Dec 9th 1819

The amount of the Sale of the Estate of James Shirley dec'd [illegible]

		£	s.
Shirley's Sale	The Widow to Have feather Bed at the appraisment	9	0
	value		
	And one Woman's Saddle & bridle	1	4
Cash	one flat Iron one pistole covers set	1	14
	One Seven Gallon Kettle	0	13
	one 8 Gallon Kettle one 5 Gallon Do	1	14
	one Cotton wheel and six Chairs	1	7
	one Chest and two pewter Dishes	1	7
	Six plates and three pint Basons	0	13
	three Big Basons & four Cups	1	1
	two Piggins one Coffee Pot	0	5
	one pair Shears Slate & Looking Glass	0	7
	one set of Knives and forks	0	4
		7	

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Shirley's sale of Estate. The Widow to have feather Bed at the appraisment value	9	0	0
Cash. And one Mahogany Saddle & Bridle	1	4	6
one Cat Skin and Patch Devens Do	1	4	0
One Screen Wheat and Chaff	0	13	0
one 8 Gallon Kettle one 2 Gallon Do	1	14	0
one Cotton wheel and six Chairs	1	7	
one Chest and two pewter Dishes	1	7	
to six plates and three pint Basons	0	13	0
to three Big Basons & six tea Cups	1	1	0
to two Piggins one Coffee Pot	0	5	10
to one pair Shears Slate & Looking Glass	0	7	6
to one set of Knives and forks	0	4	8
to one Cow	2	11	0
to Sixteen head of Sheep	8		
one Cow and Calf	3	00	0
to one Brindle Cow	2	5	0
to one Do & yealen	3	9	0
to one Black Do & Calf	3	00	0
to one Speaked Do & Calf	2	14	0
to one Red and white Do & Calf	3	6	

		£	s	d
Hr	to one white Do and Calf	3	12	0
	to one Brindle Do	3		0
	to one Brindle Yearling	2	2	0
	to fifty head of hogs	6	6	0
	to one black horse	6	9	0
	to one Bay Do	9	6	0
	to one black Mare	12	15	0
	to one two share plough	2	10	0
	to one Shovel do	0	12	6
	to one Ax	0	9	6
	to one Do	0	9	
	to one Mattock	0	16	6
	to one Scrowedge	0	6	0
	to one hoe	0	3	3
	to one Saw	0	6	0
	to one Drawen Knife	0	4	0
	to one shovel & Hoe	0	11	6
	to one Chizzel & frow	0	9	9
	to 2 Augers	0	3	9
	to one bell 3/9 Do to 4/3	0	8	0
	to one saddle 9/0 to three sickle 9/6	0	18	9
	to two bridle 1/3 Do to Chains 18/	1	2	3
	to one Sythe 1/3 Do to Blade 7/9	1	15	0
	to one table 10/3		10	3
		£	45	15

the above is the whole amount that the Widow Richard

	$	Cent
Lowry Bishop one Brindle Steer	1	10
John Garnett one Yearling	3	00
Thos Shirley one Waggon	19	00
Richard Shirley one Mallat	5	16
Thos Mc Claine one Do	3	33
Ezekiel Shirley one little wheel	1	75
to one Rifle Gun	2	50

to one Shovel & do	0	12	6
to one Ax	0	9	6
to one Do	0	9	
to one Mattock	0	16	6
to one Fore edge	0	6	0
to one hoe	0	3	3
to one Saw	0	6	0
to one Drawing Knife	0	4	1
to one Shovel & hoe	0	11	6
to one Chizzel & frow	0	9	9
to 2 Augers	0	5	9
to one Bell 3/9 Do to 4/9	0	8	0
to one Saddle 9/6 to three sickle 9/6	0	18	9
to two bridles 4/3 Do to Chains 18/	1	2	3
to one Sythe 7/9 Do to plates 7/9	1	15	0
to one Table 10/6		10	6
	£	45/18/11	

the houses the whole amount that the Widow purchased

	$	Cent
Lewis Bishop one Bundle Steer	1	10
John Garnett one Yearling	3	00
Thos Shirley one Waggon	19	00
Richard Shirley one Mattock	5	16
Thos McClain one Ax	3	33
Ezekiel Shirley one Little wheel	1	75
to to one Rifle Gun	2	50
	8	50
Thomas Shirley one Mattock 17/6	00	17	0
Moses Shirley to burning Brick & Coals	0	4	6
Henry Halcleave to 4 plains	0	16	7
John Francis to Chains & harnes	0	15	6
Ezekiel Shirley to one Chain	0	16	1
	3	13	1

By virtue of an order of the Court to us Directed we have proceeded to appraise the estate of Jane Shirley dec'd as above.
Given under our hands the day and date above.

IBM98 TC

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John Garrett
Edward Young
Richard Waggener

Barren County Court, January County Court 1812.
The foregoing list of the sale of the Estate of James Shirley Deceased was returned into Court and ordered to be Recorded

Test W. Logan Clk

Agreeable to an Order of Court to us directed we the Subscribers under signed being first Sworn have met at the the Inventory House of Samuel Renick Dec'd and have appraised the personal Estate of s'd Dec'd as Shown us with our hands Exam'd above Stated Given under our hands this 2nd day of February 1812

James Reed
Edward Young
Revil Cawthorn

The Appraisement of the Estate of Samuel Renick Dec'd

	£	s	d
one Bay Horse	25	00	0
one bay Mare	20	00	0
one Sorrel Horse	25	00	0
one Grey Mare	20	00	0
one Sorrel Colt	15	00	0
one Cow and Calf & Heifer	3	17	6
one Heifer & Calf	3	8	0
one Red Cow	2	00	0
one Dark Red Heifer	2	00	0
one Do Do	2	00	0
one Yearling Do	1	00	0
one two years old Steer	2	00	0
one yearling Do	1	10	0
two Yearlings Do at 10/ Each	1	00	0
one head of sheep at 10/ [illegible]	7	00	0

Barren County Court November County Court 1801

The foregoing Inventory and Appraisment of the Estate of Daniel Williams Deceas'd was Returnd into Court & ordered to be Recorded

Test W. L. Jan C.C.C.

July 23d 1801

Sheriff's Inventory

By Virtue of an order of the County Court of Barren to us Directed we have proceeded to Appraise the personal Estate of James Shirley Deceas'd as follows

	$	Cts
one red Brindle Cow	8	0
one Brindle Do	9	0
one Brindle Cow & Red & white yearling	13	0
one black & white Cow & Calf	10	0
one white Speckled Do & Calf	9	0
one Red & White Do & Calf	11	0
one white Cow and yearling	12	0
one Brindle & & yearling	13	0
one Brindle Stur & 6dy	5	50
Sixteen head of Sheep 10/ Each	11	

		Dollars	Cents
12	Twenty four hogs	24	00
	thirty four pigs	13	00
	one black Horse	20	00
	one bay Do	80	00
	one black Mare	40	00
	one Cart Shed plough and Clevis	16	25
	one Shovel Do & Clevis	03	00
	one Ironwedge	01	25
	one Axe	01	25
	Two Hoes	01	50
	two Mattocks	05	00
	three Axes	04	00
	one Rifle Gun	12	0
	one Do	02	50
	one Musket	03	00
	One Waggon & Gear	30	00
	one Womans Saddle & Bridle	04	00
	one Mans Saddle & Bridle	01	00
	one Turning Chisel & Gouge	00	38
	Lathe Bench	00	50
	two Augers Chisel & Drawing knife	01	00
	two Planes & Chisel	00	75
	one Dutch Oven & Small Pot	03	00
	one Plane bit	01	16
	two Looming Reeds	2	33
	one Chair	0	50
	one Sheepskin	0	25
	one 18 Gallon Kettle	6	00
	one 6 Do Do		50
	one Cotton wheel	2	50
	one Reel	1	00
	one Table	1	00
	Six Chairs	1	00
	one Chest	2	50
	two Pewter Dishes	2	

one Ax		01	25
Two Hoes		01	50
two Mattox		05	00
three Axes		04	00
one Rifle Gun		12	0
one Do		02	60
one Musket		03	00
One Waggon & Gear		30	00
One Womans Saddle & Bridle		04	00
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one Turning Chisel & Gouge		00	38
Lathe Bench		00	50
two Auger Chisel & Paring Knife		01	00
two Planes & Chisel		00	75
one Dutch Oven & Small Pot		03	00
one Plane bit		01	15
two Spinning wheels		3	33
one Churn		0	50
one Shaftirn		0	25
one 18 gallon Kettle		6	00
one 6 Do Do			50
one Gallon wheel		0	50
one Reel		1	00
one Table		1	00
Six Chairs		1	00
one Chest		2	50
two puter Dishes		2	
six plates 6 pint Basons		2	25
three big Basons		3	00
four Earthen Plates		10	75
three Saucers & Cream pot		0	25
six tin Cups		0	50
two Piggins		0	66
one Coffee Pot		0	33
one Pair of Shears			50

10. The said _____ was the child of _____ born on _____ at _____ died at _____ on _____ and his (first or) wife _____ born on _____ at _____ died at _____ on _____ married on _____

COPY of 3rd page application of Mrs. E. H. Bistline NSDAR # 636948

RE. CHILDREN OF JAMES SHIRLEY AND MARY MCMEKIN (AND THEIR COUSINS)

REFERENCES FOR LINEAGE

Give National Numbers of mother _____; grandmother _____; or any other close relatives credited with this ancestor _____

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Give, if possible, the following data: My Revolutionary ancestor was married

(1) to Mary McMekin at Fauquier Co., Va. October 9, 1781
(2) to _____ at _____, 1_____
(3) to _____ at _____, 1_____

CHILDREN OF REVOLUTIONARY ANCESTOR

(By each marriage, if married more than once)

PARENT	*Names*	*Dates of Birth*	*To Whom Married, noting if Married more than once*
Thomas	William Shirley	3-15-1773	m. ? d, 1833
James	Robert Shirley	ca. 1813	FIRST COUSIN Elizabeth Shirley (cousin)
?	Moses Shirley	ca. 1780 N.C.	Nancy Dale wid in 1850 age 78
Thomas	Thomas Shirley, Jr.	6-16-1775	Hannah Dale 1850 census age 71
?	Daniel Shirley	none of these	Elizabeth (Betsy) Howell in 1805
?	Lucinda Shirley	appear to be children	
?	Elizabeth Shirley	of James, Thomas,	John Dale in 1804
?	Nimrod Shirley	Richard or Argeland, Jr.	Elizabeth Dale [illegible]
James	Melinda Shirley	c.1791 - S.C.	Pressley N. Thomas in 1807 64.59 1850
James	Parmelia Permelia Shirley		David Faulkner
?	Deliah Shirley		Andrew Boyd 1808
James	Caleb Shirley	c. 1788 S.C.	Phoebe Gibbons in 1819 (also Gibson)

I was born on May 17, 1927 at Benton County, Missouri
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IN ADDITION, JAMES HAD EZEKIEL, JANE AND JESSE

Divorced on _____ at _____

JAMES, THOMAS AND RICHARD WERE BROTHERS: ARGELAND, JR. WAS FIRST COUSIN

Scott and Barren Co. Ky. Scott Co., Ky.

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ELIGIBILITY CLAUSE

"Any woman is eligible for membership in the National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution who is not less than eighteen years of age, and who is descended from a man or woman who, with unfailing loyalty to the cause of American Independence, served as a sailor, or as a soldier or civil officer in one of the several Colonies or States, or in the United Colonies or States, or as a recognized patriot, or rendered material aid thereto; provided the applicant is personally acceptable to the Society." (Constitution, Article III, Section 1.)

*Marriage in every instance in this paper means legal and lawful marriage.
Date of marriage may be substituted for dates of birth and death where such date proves the soldier to have been living during the Revolution and of a suitable age for service.
(Note: Resolution adopted by the twenty-fourth Continental Congress:
Descendants of polygamous marriage are not acceptable as members of this Society.)

ANCESTOR'S SERVICES

My ancestor's services in assisting in the establishment of American Independence during the War of the Revolution were as follows:

data

The said James Shirley (Sherley)
is the ancestor who assisted in establishing American Independence, while acting in the capacity of ~~Private~~ Patriot - Berekeley co Va

EWS

Give references by volume and page to the documentary or other authorities for—MILITARY RECORD: *Where reference is made to unpublished or inaccessible records of service, the applicant must file the official copy.*

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~~Rev. Soldiers Military Service Records - t-515, film roll #47~~
West Virginia Revolutionary ancestors by Reddy 1930
P 71 (Index of non-military service)

The following form of acknowledgment is required:

Applicant further says that the said James Shirley (Sherley) (name of ancestor from whom eligibility is derived) is the ancestor mentioned in the foregoing application, and that the statements hereinbefore set forth are true to the best of her knowledge and belief.

The applicant also pledges allegiance to the United States of America and agrees to support its Constitution. This applies to applicants for membership within the United States of America and its territories.

(Signature of Applicant) Elizabeth Hutsler Bistline
(First name) (Middle or Maiden name) (Last name)

Subscribed and sworn to before me at Lincoln, Missouri
(City) (State)

this 29th day of September A. D 1978

[SEAL] Carada Gardner
Signature of Notary.

My Comm. expires May 13, 1979

I do (~~do not~~) give consent to the office of the Registrar General to furnish by correspondence information contained in this application to persons seeking membership on same line.

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LINEAGE

I, Elizabeth Hutsler Bistline being of the age of eighteen years and upwards, hereby apply for membership in the Society by right of lineal descent in the following line from James Shirley (Sherley)
who was born in Virginia on the [illegible] day of [illegible] c, 17(35)
and died in Barren Co Kentucky on the aft 23 day of July, 1801
His place of residence during the Revolution was (West) Virginia Berkley co

(Please give all dates by numerals, month first, and given names in full)

I am the daughter of

1. Alonzo Kieffer Hutsler born on 1/20/1882 at Benton County, Missouri
died at Warsaw, Benton Co., Mo. on 8/16/1961 and his (first or) wife
Edna May Wilson born on 12/21/1896 at Benton County, Missouri
died at Clinton, Missouri on 3/18/1973 married on 11/7/1917

2. The said Edna May Wilson dau was the child of
Alfred Wilson born on 3/31/1841 at New York, New York
died at Lincoln, Missouri on 5/2/1920 and his (first or 2nd) wife
Lucy Ann Hoover born on 9/7/1861 at Cass County, Missouri
died at Lincoln, Missouri on 8/19/1926 married on 11/18/1876

3. The said Lucy Ann Hoover dau Lincoln Mo was the child of
William T. Hoover born on 1835 at Kentucky
died at [illegible] Missouri on Prior 8/10/68 and his (first or) wife
Frances Trent born on 9/10/1836 at Kentucky, Barren co
died at Lincoln, Missouri on 3/31/1899 married on Prior to 7/1859

4. The said Frances Trent census aft 1850 was the child of
Thomas E. Trent born on 1815 at Kentucky
died at Benton Co., Missouri on 3/11/1899 and his (first or) wife
Parmalia (Pamela) Thomas born on 1817 at Kentucky
died at [illegible] Kentucky on bef 1847 1846 married on 11/29/1833

5. The said Parmalia (Pamela) Thomas md Bond was the child of Barren co Ky.
Pressley N. Thomas born on 1786 at North Carolina
died at Barren Kentucky on 1850 and his (first or) wife
Melinda Shirley born on 1791 at Kentucky
died at Barren Kentucky on 1850 married on 11/28/1807

6. The said Melinda Shirley estate + Wills Barren co Ky was the child of
James Shirley (Sherley) born on (1735) at (West) Virginia
died at Barren County, Kentucky on Prior-7/23/1801 and his (first or) wife
Mary McMekin born on c 1761 at Virginia
died at Barren County, Kentucky on ca - 1833-35 bef now aft 22 Jan 1833 married on 10/9/1781 Fauquier co va

7. The said was the child of
born on at
died at on and his (first or) wife
born on at
died at on married on

8. The said was the child of
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FOR HONOR ROLL

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APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP TO THE NATIONAL SOCIETY

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State Missouri

City Warsaw

Name of Chapter Thomas Hart Benton

6-106-MO

National Number 636948

(Miss or Mrs.) Elizabeth Hutsler Bistline

(First name) (Middle or Maiden name) (Last name)

Wife ☒ Widow ☐ Divorced ☐ Leo junior Bistline

(Husband)

Residence Route 2, Box 45, Lincoln, Missouri 65338

Number Street City State

DESCENDANT OF

James Shirley (Sherley)

The undersigned have investigated and approved the applicant and her application.

Ruth Ann Gregory (Mrs. Chadwick)

Chapter Regent.

October 3, 1978

Pauline Fagan (Mrs. Reinhart)

Chapter Registrar.

JAN 3 1979

Application, duplicate, and Fees received by Treasurer General

Application and duplicate received by Organizing Secretary General JAN 4 1979

Application and duplicate received by Registrar General JAN 4 1979

Application verified and approved APR 11 1979

Elizabeth C. White

Registrar General.

Accepted by the National Board of Management APR 14 1979, 19

Sarah-Jane Meyer

Recording Secretary General.

Endorsement for membership at large:

State Regent.

Nominated and recommended by the two undersigned members of the Society in good standing, to whom the applicant is personally known. Endorsers must be of same Chapter; if joining At Large, of the same State.

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Residence Warsaw Mo.

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Residence Warsaw, Mo.

Chapter Thomas Hart Benton

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Sources and Notes:

1830: Barren Co, Ky, p26, 217
1830: Hendricks Co Ind, p234, 217
1840:

Went to Carroll Co Mo about 1840

HUSBAND'S NAME Caleb SHIRLEY c7
Born c 1788 At S.C.
Married 1819 At Barren Co, Ky
Died At
Buried at
Residence(s)
Schools Attended
Occupation
Military Record
Church
Property
Father's Full Name James SHIRLEY
Mother's Maiden Name Mary
Other wives

WIFE'S MAIDEN NAME Phoebe GIBBONS
Born At
Died At
Buried at
Residence(s)
Schools Attended
Occupation
Father's Full Name
Mother's Maiden Name
Other Husbands

CHILDREN:

Name Born At
Married Date At
Died At Buried

Name Daniel SHIRLEY Born c 1826 At Ky
Married Date At
Died At Buried

Name Henry SHIRLEY Born c 1829 At Ind
Married Date At
Died At Buried

Name Frances Marion SHIRLEY Born 9 Jan 1831 At Ind
Married Date At
Died 18 Feb 1907 At Carroll Co, Mo Buried

In Oregon 1875
Name Jane SHIRLEY Born At
Married Date At
Died At Buried

Name Luke SHIRLEY Born c 1839 At Ind
Married Date At
Died At Buried

Name Ruth SHIRLEY Born c 1841 At Mo
Married Date At
Died At Buried

Name Malinda SHIRLEY Born At
Married Date At
Died 30 Mar 1873 At Buried

Name James S SHIRLEY Born c 1849 At Mo
Married Date At
Died At Buried

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Sources and Notes:
1810
1820
1830
1840
1850: Barren Co, Ky, p 493

HUSBAND'S NAME Presley N THOMAS
Born Ca 1786 At N.C.
Married 28 Nov 1807 At Barren Co, Ky File1
Died 1850 At Barren Co, Ky
Buried at
Residence(s)
Schools Attended
Occupation
Military Record
Church
Property
Father's Full Name Alexander THOMAS
Mother's Maiden Name
Other wives

WIFE'S MAIDEN NAME Malinda SHIRLEY cb
Born C 1791 At S.C.
Died 2-8-1873 At Boon Co. Ind
Buried at Mt Tabor Cem, Perry Twp, Boone Co, Ind
Residence(s)
Schools Attended
Occupation
Father's Full Name James SHIRLEY
Mother's Maiden Name Mary McMEKIN
Other Husbands

CHILDREN:

Name Frances F THOMAS Born 15 Oct 1808 At Ky
Married Haron SMITH Date 1823 At Barren Co, Ky
Died 20 Jan 1890 At Boone Co Ind Buried Mt Tabor Cem

Name Born At
Married Date At
Died At Buried

Name Born At
Married Date At
Died At Buried

Name Born At
Married Date At
Died At Buried

Name Permelia THOMAS Born 1817 At Ky
Married Thomas E TRENT Date 29 Nov 1833 At Barren Co, Ky File
Died 1946 At Adair Co, Ky Buried

Name Born At
Married Date At
Died At Buried

Name Born At
Married Date At
Died At Buried

Name Born At
Married Date At
Died At Buried

Name Born At
Married Date At
Died At Buried

Family Group Record

Husband PRESLEY N. THOMAS — Wife MALINDA SHIRLEY

m. 1807 (11-28-1807) pl.

b.	c 1786	b.	c 1789
pl.	N.C.	pl.	SC
d.	1850	d.	2-8-1873
pl.	BARREN Co, KY	pl.	BOONE Co IND
bur.		bur.	MT TABOR CEMTY

Parents

Dad	ALEXANDER THOMAS	Dad	JAMES SHIRLEY
Mom		Mom	MARY McMEKIN

Occupation, Church Affilistions, Lvd. at--, Mil. Ser. Other spouses, Cause of Death:

Children	Born Date - Place	Died Date - Place	Married To Whom - Date - Place
1. ALEXANDER		disappeared before 1850 en Rte. New Orleans	ELIZABETH SHIRLEY
2. CALEB			Susannah Kelly 1810
3. PRESLEY JR.			Frances Huffmann
4. William			1. Sookie Hayes 2. Katherine Bradley, Widow
5. Snookie			
6. James			
7. Pamela	1817	1846 Adair Co. Ky.	THOS. E. TRENT 11-29-1833 Barren Co. - Ky - (Bills)
8. FRANCES	10-15-1808 Ky.	1-26-1890 IND.	AARON SMITH 1823 Barren Co. KY.

1810, 1820, 1830, 1840 Census.
1850 - Barren Co. p. 493

...and notes...

Richard Lee VOGT
7903 Meadowbrook Drive
Indianapolis, IN 46240
317-255-1790

10 February 1982

Mrs. Ruth Clay BURRELL
Route 3, Box 498
Amarillo, Texas 79107

Dear Ruth,

Thanks for your latest packet of information. As usual it contained a wealth of interesting information. I was particularly interested in seeing the way you put together your "theory" about the four SHIRLEY brothers. I think that I can provide some of the information that you asked for to fill in some of the gaps.

C2 According to census records, both Ezekiel SHIRLEY and his wife Dulcina SHIRLEY were born about 1775 in Virginia. Ezekiel died in Boone Co, Ind in 1864 and Dully the next year, also in Boone Co, Ind. Their children were (prob.) Dickinson (I wonder whose surname that was), Elias, Elisha, Benjamin, James, Maria, and Amelia. I am reasonably certain about all of these except Elisha. From census records it appears that there may have been as many as 3 boys and 3 girls who didn't survive childhood. This is not unlikely as Ezekiel and Dully were supposedly married at the age of 17. I am sending along the information that I have about this family in case any one is interested. This is data that I collected about 4 years ago before I knew anything about the parents of either Ezekiel or Dully, and I haven't taken the time to fill in some of the holes and put the information in a more meaningful form.

C6 Malinda SHIRLEY, wife of Presley N. THOMAS, is buried in the Mt. Tabor Cemetery near Fayette, Perry Township, Boone County, Indiana. Her tombstone reads Malinda THOMAS, mother of Frances SMITH, died Feb. 8, 1873, aged 84 y.

I will send you worksheets giving you the children of some of the other families that you asked about. However, other than the information about Ezekiel's family, most of this came to me second and third hand, and I really don't know the sources for some of the data. I hope that some other members of the group will be able to furnish information about these families and include the sources.

As you know, I have a particular interest in Benjamin SMITH who married Susannah SHIRLEY B4. Benjamin SMITH was born in Virginia, his two oldest children were born in South Carolina and the rest in Kentucky, and he appears in both Scott County and Barren County, Kentucky, before ending up in Boone and Hendricks Counties in Indiana. For these reasons, I feel that there is a very good chance that his family may have been part of the group who left Virginia for South Carolina and then Kentucky. Also, two of his children were named Aaron and Caleb. Because of all this, I would very much like to know more about the Caleb SMITH, who died in 1778 in Prince William County. Could you send me the information that you have and/or put me in touch with someone who might be able to help me in this regard.

This has been an interesting winter in Indianapolis. So far we have had just over 50 inches of snow (22 is normal) and we are less than 7 inches away from the all time record set in 1978. Butler University didn't have classes today (That's how I'm managing to get this letter written). We also missed 2½ days last week, 1 day the week before, and several days during the first semester. The weather in Indianapolis may not be good, but it's not boring either.

Dick Vogt

SMITH CEMETERY
Mandeville, Carroll Co., Mo.

THOMAS J. SHIRLEY
b. Ill., d. Feb. 24, 1888
51 years, 9 months

wife-Missouri A.
d. April 13, 1884,
41 yrs., 8 months, 29 days

LEANDER T. SHIRLEY
d. March 4, 1881,
17 yrs., 10 months, 14 days

GEORGE W. SHIRLEY
d. January 5, 1877,
20 yrs., 11 months, 11 days

MARION SHIRLEY
b. Jan. 9, 1831 Ind.,
d. February 8, 1902
wife - Miriam
b. March 7, 1831, d. Aug. 16, 1906

REBECCA A. SHIRLEY
d. June 18, 1881,
55 yrs., 11 months, 18 days

JOHN T. SHIRLEY
b. Oct. 6, 1838 Ind.
d. January 9, 1913
wife - Angeline
b. 1856
d. 1940

JOHN SHIRLEY
b. August 13, 1818 Ind.
d. February 20, 1906
wife - Tabitha
b. Jan. 3, 1820 Ind.
d. January 29, 1895

RUFUS S. SHIRLEY
b. 1860, d. 1934
wife - Amelia L.
b. 1874, d. 1958

JAMES S. SHIRLEY
b. July 4, 1847
d. April 1, 1916
wife - Amanda J.
b. January 15, 1859
d. January 19, 1895

SARAH M. SHIRLEY
b. February 25, 1840
d. September 22, 1912

VIRGIL H. SHIRLEY
d. Sept. 3, 1894,
31 yrs., 5 months, 4 days

LANDON JESSE SHIRLEY
b. April 4, 1870
d. August 10, 1933
wife - Ida Block
b. February 18, 1878
d. May 10, 1949

JOHN L. SHIRLEY
b. February 1, 1865
d. July 27, 1926
wife - Mary
b. November 20, 1865
d. April 30, 1953

JAMES H. SHIRLEY
b. April 11, 1868
d. July 12, 1927

WILLIAM N. SHIRLEY
b. May 14, 1874
d. March 6, 1931

CHARLES W. SHIRLEY
b. 1863, d. 1935
wife - Eliza A.
b. 1877, d. 1955

These are the older Shirleys buried there whose births were before 1880.

**Credit to Gordon Seyffert for sending this information.*

SN OCT - 1979

Rev. Daniel Shirley must have been a son of James and Mary Shirley or Richard and Dorcas Shirley (page 6, April issue). Daniel m. Elizabeth Dale. He was a Baptist minister at Dripping Springs Baptist church. He must have died in 1826, as an indenture was made February 1826 naming his heirs: wife, Elizabeth; James H.; Moses; Lucinda; Martha Ann; and Carter T. Shirley.

Caleb's Son

The article on the previous page was sent to me in 1983 and I decided to print it in the NEWS. Another interesting Shirley family.

I called Mr. J.N. Shirley a couple of days ago to see what I could learn about HIS Shirley ancestory. Sorry to say, he only knew his father's name...May Shirley. I asked if he would have been born before 1900 and he said yes. I then asked if he knew where he was born. His reply was, in Carroll Co. Missouri.

Later that day I began looking thru my Carroll Co. Mo.
I found May in his parents household in the 1900 census. He was listed as May B. Shirley born January 1881 in Missouri. His father is listed as James S. b. July 1847 Missouri.

This is the household as is appears in 1900 census:

James S. July 1847 Mo.
Sarah J. June 1858 Miss.
May B. Jan 1881 Mo.
Frank T. Oct. 1882 Mo
Elzie W. (male) July 1884
Stella June 1886 Mo
Ray (Roy ?) Aug 1889 Mo
Ethel E. Aug 1891 Mo
Marshel Aug 1891 Mo.

(step children)
Starnie Jones 1881 Miss.
Alva Jones 1886 Miss.
Allie Turner (niece) 1877 Miss.

I looked up the 1850 census to see who James S. Shirley was the son of and this is the lineage and information.

James is the son of Caleb and Phebe (Gibbons) Shirley and Caleb was the son of James and Mary(McMekin) Shirley of Barren Co. Kentucky.

James S. Shirley was born July 4th, 1847 and died April 1, 1916. He is buried in the Smith Cemetery, Mandeville in Carroll Co. Mo. He married 1st Amanda J. Cochran and she died January 19, 1995 and is buried in same cemetery.

In the 1880 census, James S. and Amanda is listed and a male child, Impey W. b. 1879 Mo.

It would appear from the 1900 census that James married 2nd to Sarah J. JONES as the step children are JONES.

Additional information on this family will be apreciated by the Shirley Association!

James, Mormons of Jones & Hendricks Co.

Santa makes a special trip

FATHER Christmas hops aboard a tram at the Crich Tramway Museum in Derbyshire.

Santa Specials start running this weekend at the museum and will also be running on December 17 and 18.

He will be driving around in stylish trams such as the 85-year-old Southampton Number 45 pictured.

SN Oct/Nov 1989

THIS APPEARED IN AN ENGLAND NEWS PAPER LAST YEAR. THOUGHT IT WOULD BE A GENTLE REMINDER OF THE UPCOMING HOLIDAYS !!! Yes, it's that time !

SHIRLEY NEWS SUBSCRIPTION & MEMBERSHIP IS $15 per year. This includes 4 issues of the NEWS and...when requested, a list of the names of other members who are descendants of the same branch of the Shirleys. Send to:

Shirley Association
10256 Glencoe Dr.
Cupertino, Ca. 95014 USA
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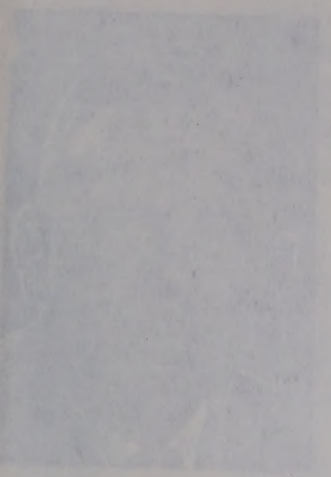


THE DALES & SHIRLEYS

Recently while working on this line I came across a few bits and pieces:

In the list of Isaac Dales children it says Elizabeth Dale married Nimrod Shirley, son of James Shirley.

A descendant of Jane Shirley who married William Dale (brother of Nancy Dale who married Moses Shirley) says Jane is the daughter of James Shirley and wife Mary McMekin and that MARY IS THE 2ND WIFE OF JAMES.

Another correspondent has Nancy Eliz. Dale born 1779 in Shenandoah Co. Va. as daughter of Isaac Dale and Margaret Tillman.

Any comments would be apreciated from this group of Shirleys!

John Beals sent me a letter asking about a letter he just received from the Dale Library asking for Dale info and promoting a book sale on the Dale Family. I placed a call to Dr. Donald Dale and we chatted for about 45 min.

This is a sincere group and one I think I can recommend to any Shirley-Dale connections....

If you would like more information write me, at the Association address.

David Shirley, former head of UT chemistry branch, dies

Dr. David A. Shirley, head of the University of Tennessee's chemistry department in Knoxville from 1962 until his retirement in 1979, died of cancer Thursday morning at UT Hospital.

Shirley, 69, was a Knoxville native. He earned bachelor's and master's degrees from UT. He had been a member of the UT faculty for 26 years and was nationally recognized for research in organic chemistry.

Shirley earned his doctorate from Iowa State University in 1943, and was a research chemist for Du Pont. Before joining the UT faculty in 1953, he was a professor at Tulane University in New Orleans.

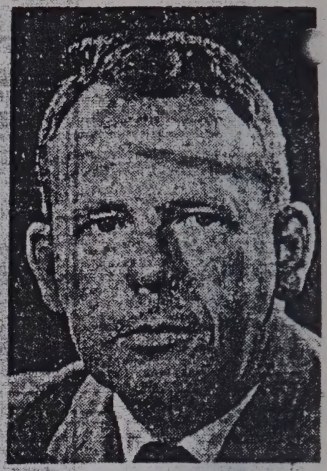
"The department moved tremendously under Dr. Shirley's leadership," said Dr. Gleb Mamantov, who succeeded Shirley as department head in 1979. "He was an outstanding administrator and an extremely good organic chemist who was nationally recognized in the field.

"Most importantly, he was quite a human being," Mamantov said.

During Shirley's tenure, the chemistry department grew from a relatively small unit to a department with more than 30 full-time professors and thousands of dollars in research contracts, Mamantov said.

Shirley wrote two books and had more than 75 scientific articles published. He also was active locally and nationally in the American Chemical Society.

Shirley received a chancellor's Citation for Extraordinary Service to UT in 1979 and the Distinguished Service Award from the UT chapter of Phi Beta Kappa in 1983. A plaque honoring Shirley hangs in the new Hodges Library on the campus.



1979 photo

Dr. David A. Shirley

Shirley was recognized by "Who's Who in America" and made this philosophical observation in the book:

"I view life as an opportunity for a creative and perhaps triumphant effort by an individual against the underlying matrix of tragedy into which we are all born. Among the most lasting of these efforts are our creations in the arts, in literature and in the sciences, but also important is our recognition that in the striving for our goals and in the lessening of our own pain, we should not add to the burden of others."

After his retirement, Shirley contributed money to a fund bearing his name which supports work done by graduate students and young faculty members in the chemistry department.

The family will receive friends from 7 to 9 p.m. Saturday at Mann's Heritage Chapel.

David Shirley (right) in Library, Ettington Hotel England in 1985.

He was born Sept 15, 1918 and died Aug. 25, 1988. He had cancer.

E. William A. 1848 Ind d. Feb 8, 1890 Lebanon, Indiana
m. Sarah E. Willie Oct 8, 1868 Ind
children:
(a) Truviller H 1869
m. Lula M. Minnick
(b) Annie E. 1873 Ind
(c) Minnie 1879 Ind
m. Ernest E. Howard

(5) Maria
(6) Amelia
**(7) James b. Feb 25, 1819 Scott Co Ky
d. Mar 21, 1902 Perry, Boone Co Ind
m. Eliz. Poyner Dec 4,
m. Leannah Smith Mar 25,
children:
A. Henry 1841 Ind d Sept 9, 1860
B. Parmelia Ann 1844 Ind
C. Edward 1853 d Dec 16, 1910 Ind
D. Peter C. Aug 17, 1868 Ind d 1925

2. Robert b. _____d. 1813 Barren Co Ky
m. Eliz. Shirley (dau of Thomas & Mollie Shirley...Robt & Eliz were 1st cousins). Eliz. married 2nd Daniel Price and went to Wisconsin.

children:
(1) Mary b. 1806 d.Sept 17, 1858
m. James Shirley Mar 5, 1825(son of Richard and Nancy Shirley...Mary and James were double 2nd cousins).
(2) James b. July 30, 1803 d. 1893 Hendrick Co. Indiana
m. Deborah Presley Dec 13, 1827 Barren Co. Ky.
[See Jan '80 NEWS page 5]
children:
A. Robert
B. Rebecca
C. John N
D. Louisa F.
E. Francis Marion
F. George W.
(3) William b 1805 Barren Co. Ky
m. Sarah "Sally" Presley
[See Jan '80 NEWS page 6]
A. Lucinda 1829 m Franklin Carter
B. Joseph 1831 m. Sarah____
C. Rebecca 1836 m Wm Hunter
D. Samuel May 10, 1837 m Mahala Jane Williams
E. Sarah Ann
F. Evaline
(4) Thomas b 1812 Ky
m. Martha Piper July 15, 1830
children:
A. Robert (see picture p. 6)
[see picture p. 5, Apr '81 NEWS]
B. James b. 1834 Ky
C. Nimrod b. 1836 Ky
D. William b. 1839 Ky
E. Eliz. 1841 m. ____Lobb
F. Nancy 1843 m. ____Brooks
G. Newton 1848
(5) Letticia m. Reuben Shirley (son of Richard and Nancy Green Shirley).

3. Jane b. m. William Dale
children: (see p. 9 this issue)
(1) Nancy Dale m. Alexander Faulkner
(2) Parmelia Dale m. Robert Smith
(3) Isaac Dale
(4) Lavi Dale
(5) Millie Dale
(6) Martha Dale
(7) Jane Dale

4. Caleb b. 1788 S.C. d Oct 1864 Carroll Co. Mo.
m. Phoebe Gibbons Mar 24, 1819 in Barren Co. Ky (dau of Francis & Susannah Gibbons).
children:
(1) Mary J. 1821 Ky m. John Miller
(2) Malinda 1821 Ky m. Josiah Goodson
(3) John G. d. 1849 Cholorea Epid.
(4) Henry V. 1829 m. Mary Turnage
(5) Daniel 1828 m. Sarah Mayes
(6) Francis Marion Jan 9, 1831 Ind.
m. Miriam Smith
[see Apr '81 NEWS p. 2 & pictures]
(7) Luke 1839 m. Sarah States
(8) Dovey Ruth 1841 m. Daniel Chapman
(9) James S July 4, 1847 Carroll Co. Mo
m. Amanda J. Cochran

5. Malinda 1791 S.C. m. Presley N. Thomas Nov 28, 1807 Barren Co. Ky
children:
(1) Alexander Thomas m. Eliz Shirley
(2) Caleb Thomas 1810 m. Susannah Kelly
(3) Presley Thomas, Jr m Frances Huffman
(4) William Thomas m. Sookie Hayes
m. 2nd Katherine Bradley (widow)
(5) Snookie Thomas
(6) James Thomas
(7) Pamela Thomas m. Thomas E. Trent

6. Parmelia Feb 14, 1793 Barren Co. Ky
d. Nov 25, 1855
m. David Faulkner June 29, 1825 in Barren Co. Ky

7. Jesse b. 1800 Ky m. Jane Witt
children (1850 census)
(1) Amanda b. 1827 Tenn
(2) Virginia b 1835 Ill
(3) Thomas J b. 1837 Ill
(4) Caleb W. 1839 Ill

Material sent on this family from many members. Richard Vogt, Geraldine Brown Gordon Seyffert, Irene Scott and others. We have many members who descend from this group and the Thomas and Mollie Grubbs Shirley branch...brother of the first James in this article.

James Shirley b. ca. 17____.
d. July 23, 1801 Barren Co. Ky
m. Mary_____.
children as listed in deed 1799

1. Ezekiel b. ca. 1775 Va.
d. 1864 Perry, Boone Co. Ind
m. Dolly Shirley (dau of Arge Shirley).
children:
(1). Dickinson b. 1796 Scott Co. Ky
m. Elizabeth Hamrick
children: (known)
A. Caleb b, July 17, 1817 Ky.
d. 1876 Harrison, Boone Co Indiana
m. Mary (Dale) McReynolds July 17, 1837 Boone Co. Ind
m2nd Eliz. Kenady July 1859
children:
** (a) James W. Apr 18, 1838
m. Sarah Bright
(b) Mathew E. 1840
m. Ann Weekly
(c) Henry S. 1842
m. Mary E. ____
(d) Jarret June 21, 1845
m. Harriett Hedge
(f) Emily 1847
m. Wm F. Proctor
(g) Eliza 1849
(h) Malinda 1849
(i) William S.
(j) Jesse B. 1852

B. Ezekiel b. 1822 Scott Co Ky
m. Juliann Dale Mar 12, 1842
children:
(a) Eliz. A 1843
(b) Melvina P. 1848
(c) William A 1848
m. Sarah Vidator 1869
(d) George C. 1851
m. Mary Clemments 1871
(e) Henry 1852
(f) Mary Jane 1854

C. Jesse B. 1831 Boone Co Ind
m. 1st Mary Etherington 1854
m. 2nd Sarah E.
children:
(a) Margaret E. 1858
m. Thomas L Roberts
(b) Clinton 1861
(c) Fielding T. 1862
m. 1st Mary A Belt
m 2nd Mary Huffman
(d) Henry E. 1867
m. Mary B. Long
(e) Harriett A 1870
(f) Levi E. 1877

** *[see story in this issue]*

D. Benjamin
E. Lydia C. 1834
F. Louisa 1838

James SHIRLEY Family Groups p. 1

(2). Elias b. 1798 Scott Co Ky
d. July 29, 1885 Perry, Boone Co Ind
m. Martha
children: (known)
A. Parmela b. 1828 Ky
B. Sarah A b. 1831 Ind
C. Hilda b. 1841 Ind
D. Jesse Luke 1842 Ind

(3) Elisha b. Feb 11, 1805 Scott Co Ky
d. Apr 8, 1889 Boone Co. Ind.
m. 1st____
m. 2nd Eliz. Ford Oct 24, 1841
children:
A. Fanny J 1831 Ind
B. Pamela 1837 Ind
C. Mary 1843 Ind
D. Clarinda 1845 Ind
E. Johnson 1847 Ind
F. Nancy A 1849 Ind
G. Eliza 1852 Ind
H. David 1859 Ind

(4) Benjamin b. Jan__1811 Scott Co Ky
d. Jan 1882 Boone Co. Indiana
m. Lydia A. Hamrick d. 1876
m. Jane Smith Jan 18, 1877
children: (known)
A. Delila 1831 Ind
B. Elspa Jane 1838 Ind
C. Trustin W. 1840 d. Sept 9, 1919
m. Mary E. Chambers Jan 19, 1860
children:
(a) Drusilla 1863
(b) Lewis A 1867 Ind
m. Mattie R. Caldwell
m. Ethel M Burns
(c) Emma B 1870
m. Thomas F. Caldwell
(d) Lydie M 1873
m. Edward J Padgett
(e) Mamie A 1878 Ind
m. Ara Dinsmore
(f) Bessie 1883
m. Orville Miller
(g) Lora T 1885 Ind
m. Audie Silver

D. Doctor J 1844 Ind
m. Margaret Randal Jan 30, 1868
children:
(a) Alva 1863
(b) Cora E 1870 Ind m. Geo Gleenor
(c) Della C 1872 m. Wm. Andis
(d) Effie 2876

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JOHN BUSH - WIDOWS DOWER (Page 255)
Widow Nancy Bush alloted Dower by Commissioners: Alexr. Davidson, John Renfro, Isaac Renfro, John Elmore. Retd. Jan Court 1814 & OK.

ROBERT SHIRLEY INVENTORY (Page 256)
Nov 1813; April 1814. Appraisers: Benja. Smith, Reubin Dale, Lewis Gooden. Retd. April Court 1814 & OK.

MICHAEL BRANSTETTER SETTLEMENT - REPORT (Page 256)
Returned 1814 by Mary Branstetter & Michael Branstetter, Admrs. of Estate. Paid to each of Heirs of age; paid to guardians of infant heirs. /s/ Michael Branstetter & Mary Branstetter, Returned February Court 1814 & OK.

JOSEPH BAYLESS INVENTORY (Page 257)
Of personal Estate by Appraisers: Nicholas Howser, Gideon Mayfield, Benjamin Harris, March 25, 1814; Returned May 1814 & OK.

JOHN PEAK INVENTORY (Page 258)
May 26, 1814; Appraisers: Joseph Ralston, Philemon Bass, Andrew Carpenter, Wm. Wallace. Returned July 1814 & OK.

JOEL SETTLE SETTLEMENT (Page 258)
June 20, 1814 - Willis Settle Admr. was paid for services of 8½ months and several trips traveling to and from Virginia to collect the estate money....which sum was divided among eleven legatees...not named Commissoners: Samuel Murrel, Joel Yancy, Wm. Bowls, John Warder. Returned July 1814.

JOSEPH HARRIS SETTLEMENT (Page 259)
Abner Hamilton, Admr. Mentions balance paid on said Harris bond executed to Executors of James Harris dec'd. and dated Dec. 14, 1803 (blurred)....widows third part and to Heirs of said Harris. Commissioners: Bird Rogers, Edmd. Rogers, James Reed. Returned August 1814.

JAMES BYBEE INVENTORY (Page 260)
July 29, 1815....Appraisers: Ralph Petty, Edmund Payne; Joshua Wilson at Edmunds Paynes to appraise a sorrel horse belonging to James Bybee Returned May 1816.

WILLIAM ROSS INVENTORY (Page 260)
April 17, 1815 - Appraisers: Joseph Ralston, John Grubbs, Obediah Britt; Alexander Davidson Jr., Admr. Sworn to before me, 17th day April 1815, Hardin Davis, JP.

WM. ROSS SETTLEMENT (Page 261)
May 19, 1817 - Commissioners: Billy Sneed, Will Grigg, Joel Yancy, Reuben Harrison. Returned May 1817 & Ordered to record.

JAMES GADBERRY SETTLEMENT (Page 262)
Jourdin Glazebrook, Admr. Note: The order to us directed named the s'd Glazebrook as Admr. of James B. Gadberry when it appeared in evidence that the said decedant name was William. Commissioners: Saml Jordan, W. Logan, Dan. Culp. James H Rice. Retd. Dec 1814 & OK.

JESSE WOOD SETTLEMENT (Page 220)
For heirs of James Tadlock; Wm. Wood guardian of said estate. Certified by us: David Hardin, Nathan Breed, Joseph Gist, 24 Nov. 1810.

JOHN ROCK INVENTORY (Page 221)
Appraisers: Wm. Ratliff, James Wilcox, Archer Craddock; Retd. Nov 1813; Recd. Nov 13, 1813.

FRANCIS ASHBY WILL (Page 223)
Date: 20 Sept 1813; Oct. Court 1813

I, Francis Ashby do make this Instrument of writing my last Will & Testament I wish all my Just Debts to be paid and after that may be done I give & brqueath all my property of every Discription to Martha Cook to her and her Heirs forever I wish my Horse and Saddle saved by me Executors and not sold for the payment of my Debts if there be other property sufficient for that purpose and wish them to be delivered to said Martha Cook with my other property as above Directed I hereby Appoint Wm. Thompson the Executor of this my last Will. Sept. 20th 1813.

Test: Wm. Thompson /s/ Francis Ashby
John T. Chambers

Barren County Towit October County Court 1813 - The foregoing writing purporting to be the last Will of Francis Ashby was produced into Court and John T. Chambers & Wm. Thompson...the subscribing witnesses thereto being sworn Deposeth and saith that the said Francis Ashby Dec'd did in their presence deliver the said writing for to be his last Will and they believe he was in his Proper Sense and Memory when he did the same and thereupon the said writing was Ordered to be Recorded as the true last Will and Testament of the said Francis Ashby Deceased. Test: W. Logan, Clk.

CLEMENT MONTAGUE INVENTORY (Page 224)
Appraisers: Samuel Murrel, ---- Blain, Geo. Murrel, H. Trigg. Sally Montague relict & Admx. Certify that the foregoing Inventory was all of personal estate. 19 August 1813 - /s/ Sally Montague. Returned October Court OK.

JOHN MATTHEWS SALE (Page 226)
Sale by order of Barren County Court Jan 27, 1812; Ret. Oct 1813 & OK.

AUGUSTINE BERRY SALE (Page 228)
Returned Aug 1813 & OK.

ROBERT SHIRLEY - ELIZABETH RELGS AS ADMX. (Page 230)
"I do hereby waive my right as Administration as to the Estate of Robert Shirley my dec'd husband & wish letters of Admr. granted to William Shirley." Given under my hand this 19th Oct 1813. /s/ Elizabeth (x) Shirly; Test: Samuel Holloway, Thomas Shirley.

DANIEL WILLIAMS WILL (Page 10)

Date: 17 Oct 1800; Probated: July Court 1801

This Indenture made in the year of our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and the Seventeenth day of October. IN THE NAME OF GOD AMEN, I, being in perfect sences and memory of mind Do Bequeath and Leave to my son John and Lawfull heir the tract of Land that I now live on when he comes of Age and his Mother to clear it out of the office if she possibly can otherwise if she can't Conveniently Clear the land out of the Office she is to sel it and put what she got for it for the use of the sd child against he comes of age and if the sd Child should Die then it is to fall into her own hands as for my horses Cattle Hogs Cloathing Houshold furnitur and Working tools I do will and Bequeath all of them to her to do as she pleases and this I acknowledge to be my Last Will and Testament and no other.

Signed and Sealed in the presence of:
Teste: John Martin, Mary Murrey /s/ Daniel Williams [Seal]

Barren County Towit; July County Court 1801

The foregoing Instrument of Writing purporting to be the last Will & Testament of Daniel Williams dec'd was produced in Court & John Martin & Mary Murry Subscribing Witnesses thereto being sworn saith that the said Daniel Williams pronounced and declared the said writing to be his last Will & Testament and when he did the same they believe him to be in his proper senses & memory when he did the same and thereupon the sd Writing was ordered to be Recorded as the true last Will of the said Daniel Williams Deceased.

DANIEL WILLIAMS INVENTORY (Page 11)

Date: Oct 31, 1801. Appraisers: Joseph Beates, Samuel Cummins, Mahlon Hall; Rec'd November Court 1801.

JAMES SHIRLEY INVENTORY (Page 11)

Date: July 23, 1801. Appraisers: John Garnett, Edward Young, Rich'd Waggoner. Rec'd December Court 1801.

JAMES SHIRLEY SALE (Page 13)

Received January Court 1812.

SAMUEL RENICK INVENTORY (Page 15)

Date: Feb 2, 1802; Appraisers: James Nevill, Edward Young, Havil. Crump. Inv. and Appraisal rec'd March County Court 1802.

SAMUEL RENICK SALE (Page 18)

Received May County Court 1812.

Clarence Eugene Shirley born January 6, 1939 in Pueblo, Colorado
Patricia A. (Pitman) Shirley born November 18, 1939 in Pueblo, Colorado;
died May 9, 1970 in Denver, Colorado
Married August 27, 1958 in Pueblo, Colorado

Heirs as follows:

Shelley Lynn Shirley born December 13, 1959 in Pueblo, Colorado
Kelley Sue Shirley born December 28, 1961 in Ft. Collins, Colorado
Jill Ann Shirley born August 19, 1963 in Denver, Colorado
Jody Kay Shirley born August 1, 1965 in Denver, Colorado

My lineage as follows:

Thomas Shirley 1746-1830
Thomas Shirley II June 15, 1775-April 9, 1851
William Shirley II January 22, 1818-September 14, 1898
Charles Edward Shirley December 6, 1852-October 14, 1937
Raymond Shirley October 22, 1893-February 14, 1970
William Raymond Shirley April 1, 1932-Present

Sincerely,

William R. Shirley

324 Sunset Lane
Pueblo, Colo. 81005
1981

*Charles Edward Shirley born December 6, 1852; died October 14, 1937 in Sharon Springs, Kansas
Huldah Ann (Bedker) Shirley born September 13, 1863; died June 19, 1960 in Pueblo, Colorado
Married January 5, 1893

Heirs as follows:

*Raymond Shirley born October 22, 1893 in Hiawatha, Kansas; died February 14, 1970 at 6:40 p.m. in Pueblo, Colorado
Married Anna Pauline Hill June 10, 1920 in Colorado Springs, Colorado
Mary Louise Shirley born November 26, 1895 in Hiawatha, Kansas; still living
Married Tony F. Marqueling September 30, 1920
Franklin Beesley Shirley born January 7, 1899 in Oneida, Kansas; died March 18, 1975 in Denver, Colorado
Married Hazel D. McGrath, October 2, 1930

*Raymond Shirley born October 22, 1893 in Hiawatha, Kansas; died February 14, 1970 in Pueblo, Colorado
Anna Pauline (Hill) Shirley born August 15, 1892 in Cabool, Missouri; died February 8, 1975 in Pueblo, Colorado at 1:30 p.m.
Married June 10, 1920 in Colorado Springs, Colorado

Heirs as follows: All living

Violet Fern Shirley born April 1, 1921 in Sharon Springs, Kansas
Married James Pitcock August 1, 1939. James Pitcock died August 16, 1962
Mary Elizabeth Shirley born February 19, 1923 in Fountain, Colorado
Married Clauzel Marion Ferguson February 14, 1943
Ruth Eleen Shirley born November 11, 1924 in Fountain, Colorado
Married Richard Asher November 8, 1943
Anna Louise Shirley born April 27, 1927 in Fountain, Colorado
Married Samuel E. Putao June 15, 1949
Viola Faye Shirley born March 21, 1929 in Fountain, Colorado
Married Donald Erskine October 29, 1949
*William Raymond Shirley born April 1, 1932 in Pueblo, Colorado
Married Caroline C. Gordon October 25, 1956
Clarence Eugene Shirley born January 6, 1939 in Pueblo, Colorado
Married Patricia Pitman August 27, 1958

*William Raymond Shirley born April 1, 1932 in Pueblo, Colorado
Caroline C. (Gordon) Shirley born March 23, 1936 in Denver, Colorado
Married October 25, 1956 in Pueblo, Colorado

Heirs as follows:

Steven Shirley born June 15, 1957 in Pueblo, Colorado
Married Cheryl Ann Genova June 23, 1979 in Pueblo, Colorado
Michael Shirley born June 15, 1957 in Pueblo, Colorado; died December 5, 1960 in Pueblo, Colorado
Charles Thomas Shirley born February 23, 1959 in Greeley, Colorado
Susan Kay Shirley born January 9, 1962 in Pueblo, Colorado
Cathy Lynn Shirley born May 5, 1963 in Pueblo, Colorado

VIII

SHIRLEY'S

*Thomas Shirley born 1746; died 1830
Mary (Grubbs) Shirley born 1750; died 1846
Married May 7, 1770

Heirs as follows:

Richard Shirley born February 22, 1771; died 1846
William Shirley born March 15, 1773; died 1833
*Thomas Shirley II born June 15, 1775; died April 9, 1851
Elijah Shirley born October 1, 1777; died 1807
Nancy Shirley born November 1, 1779; died ????
Elizabeth Shirley born May 1782, died ????
Sarah Shirley born ?, 1786; died ????
Fannie Shirley born October, 1788; died 1790

*Thomas Shirley II born June 15, 1775; died April 9, 1851
Hannah (Dale) Shirley born June, 1779; died January 20, 1859
Married ?

Heirs as follows:

Elijah Shirley born March 7, 1803; died April, 1860
Married Polly Harbison, 1828
Levi Shirley born January 7, 1806; died August 7, 1833
Married Nancy Navham, 1832
Martin Shirley born August 20, 1811; died November 5, 1865
Married Elizabeth Smith, 1837
John Shirley born September 14, 1813; died March 16, 1844
Married Mary J. Hatchett, 182?
Dicey Shirley born April 15, 1815; died November 5, 1877
Married John Tedigo, December, 1834
*William Shirley II born January 22, 1818; died September 14, 1898
Married Mary T. Beesley, October 13, 1842

*William Shirley II born January 22, 1818; died September 14, 1898 in Hiawatha, Kansas
Mary T. (Beesley) Shirley born March 12, 1822; died April 10, 1901 in Marshall, Missouri at 3:30 p.m.
Married October 13, 1842

Heirs as follows:

Harriett Eliza Shirley born August 4, 1843; died March 15, 1924 in Oklahoma City, Oklahoma
Married Lile Berryhill, July 13, 1867
William Morris Shirley born March 5, 1848; died May 25, 1921 in Denver, Colorado
Married Armanda Ellis, July 4, 1880
*Charles Edward Shirley born December 6, 1852; died October 14, 1937 in Sharon Springs, Kansas, at 8:10 a.m.
Married Huldah Ann Bedker, January 5, 1893
Note: Charles Edward Shirley born in Virginia, Illinois

Public Sale

As I am going to leave the farm, I will sell at Public Auction to the highest bidder, without reserve, at my farm, Section 24-14-10, 4½ miles south of Sharon Springs, 3 miles east, on

Thurs., Mar. 20

at 10 o'clock, a. m., the following property:

3 Head of Horses 3

1 bay mare, weight 1200, twelve years old; 1 bay horse, weight 1200, twelve years old; 1 brown mare, weight 1400, 7 years old

4 Head of Cattle 4

1 fresh Holstein cow, three years old; 1 red roan Polled Durham cow, five years old; 2 roan yearling steers

IMPLEMENTS

1 Deering 6-foot Indian rolling disc; 1 walking plow and drill combined; 1 disc cultivator; 1 rod for cultivator; 2 sulky seeders; 1 three section harrow; 1 set spring plow; 1 rod breaking plow; 1 Deering mower; 1 hay tedder; 1 corn harvester; 1 Deering binder; 1 10-foot galvanized stock tank; 1 steel wheel corn; 1 wheat harrow; 1 manure spreader, Jewett, 1911 model; 1 set heavy work harness; 2 sets single harness; 1 buggy; 1 cutter; 1 set bob sleds

Public Sale

As I am going to leave the farm, I will sell at Public Auction to the highest bidder, without reserve, at my farm, Section 24-14-40, 4½ miles south of Sharon Springs, 2 miles east, on

Thur., Mar. 20

at 10 o'clock, a. m., the following property:

3 Head of Horses 3

1 bay horse, weight 1200, twelve years old; 1 gray horse, weight 1150, twelve years old; 1 brown mare, weight 1400, 7 years old.

4 Head of Cattle 4

1 black heifer, coming two years old; 1 red spotted heifer, coming two years old; 2 coming yearling steers, black.

IMPLEMENTS

1 tongueless Rock Island riding lister; 1 walking lister and drill combined; 1 disc cultivator; 1 riding cultivator; 1 knife weeder; 1 three section harrow; 1 stirring plow; 1 rod breaking plow; 1 Perfect corn harvester, new; 1 corn harvester; 1 Deering mower; 1 10-barrel galvanized stock tank; 1 steel wheel wagon; 1 wheel barrow, 1 motorcycle, single, Indian, 1912 model; 1 set heavy work harness.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS

1 cupboard; 1 kitchen cabinet; 1 iron bedstead; 1 wooden bedstead; 2 bed springs; 2 tables; 1 gasoline stove; 1 grindstone; other articles too numerous to mention.

Lunch On Grounds. Bring Your Cups.

Terms of Sale: $10.00 and under, cash; sums over $10.00, a credit of 8 months time will be given on bankable note, with approved security, with 10 per cent interest from date of sale. 5 per cent off for cash on time sales. No property to be removed until settled for.

C. E. SHIRLEY.

T. E. McNerny, Auct. Albert Monson, Clerk.

Father and mother had already come to Kansas after their marriage. Grandfather had accumulated about fifteen hundred dollars and he divided this into two equal parts taking with him only one half. While on this trip he was robbed of all his money. He went back & and moved to Hiawatha Kansas where he and the boys for a time engaged in teaming from St. Joe Missouri to Hiawatha also any other work abtainable. Then he bought a small ranch and moved on it and improved it. 1884 he moved to Hiawatha.

There is a beautiful Indian love story written in rhyme of Hiawatha. I trust this may help you a little bit but it is far too little. We shall always be glad to hear from you.

New Jersey was Grandmother Shirley native state.

I do not know when she and her family came to Illinois.

Grandfather and she moved to Kansas 1868, I think.

Her father's name was Benjamin Beasly after whom I was named. I saw him once in 1885 in Jacksonville, Illinois at the sons home where he spent his last days.

Thomas Beasley
---------- Her father and mother

Mary T. Beasly. I do not know what the T stands for.

Frank Beasly

---------- unknown brothers or sisters or perhaps cousins.

To Mr. and Mrs. Frank Beasly were born four children that I know of;:

Laura
Gordon
Harry
Blossom

The last I knew Gordon and Harry were both living in Philadelphia, Penn. One of them is a dentist.

Granmother Shirley dates her ancestry back to the coming to this country of the Mayflower. Were I in Washinton I believe valuable information could be obtained from United States Library where a list of passengers on board the Mayflower. She was quaker born and quaker reared Using the thee and thou. so characteristic among the Quaker unto her death. Some time early in life she changed her communion to Presbyterian. I knew personally Frank Beasly and Laura Shirley but do not know how they came into the Beasly and Shirley family. We have an ancestral line of whom we well may be proud and should stimulate us to better living. If I may assist you to better complete this ancestral chronology please call on me freely. I see I have forgotten to refer to Grandfather coming from Illinois to Kansas.

To them were born four children -:

Harriet Eliza
William Morris
Charles Edward
Benjamin Thomas who died in infancy

To Harriet my own mother were born two sons;

James who died in infancy
Benjamin

The ancestral outline you have enclosed I know too little about I have been told that their last child born to them was named after his father Thomas. This the one who died in infancy.

Thomas Shirley
Hannah Shirley

Were likely his father and mother.

Eliza and Levi I know nothing about but like you I a supposing them to have been twins.

It was likely this Elizah after whom my mother was named. Thus you see the oldest and youngest of Grandfather's children were probably named after and sister and his own father

Martin Shirley--I knew nothing.

John Shirley ?????? Possibly could be brother. Not under normal conditions

Dicy Shirley yes

Massee Jane McDaniel as you suggest have been a daughter of Elizah.

I really can not help you farther on Grandfathers ancestral line only my approval to your suggestions. I believe you are correct. There seemed to have been a strange silence on Grandfather's part about his early family history. I feel that were Uncle Morris alive he might be able to speak more intelligently than any of the rest. As father and son they were very close to one another.

Now as to grandmother Shirley:

Gainesville, Texas, February 11, 1938

Dear Cousin Mary: (Marqueling)

We were really delighted to recieve both your mother's and your letter. I know I am a very poor corespondent but I do appreciate hearing from any of my kins folks. I have delayed answering your letter because of critical and prolonged sickness of a nephew.

Your letter makes me realize just how careless we are about our ancestral line. I have repeatedly been reminded of my ignorance of my fathers family tree.

Now your letter again reminds me how little I know of my mother's family ties.

Our grandfather Shirley was a man comes from a family so far as I know without a stain of reproach any where. I have never been able to fully understand his rather strange silence about his own family. Wm son of Thos. S

As I understand it Grandfather Shirley was a native born Kentuckian born and reared in the blue grass regions some where near Bowling Green, Kentucky. He came from the part of Kentucky where extra fine horses were reared. He was a natural born judge of fine horses.

Early in young manhood he came to Virginia, Illinois. His religous faith had been Quaker. Early in life he joined the Presbyterian Church. Here he was soon made an Elder, Which position he held until his death. For many years he served as Justice of Peace.

Somewhere he had learned the trade of Saddlery and Harness making. Here he met Grandmother whose name was Beasly before marriage. (Mary Beasly)

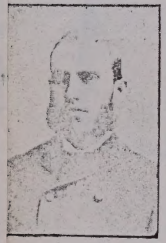
In 5 days return to
Rev. B. Berrymill
Gainesville, Texas

GAINESVILLE FEB 11 530PM 1938 TEX

VIA AIR MAIL

Air Mail

Mrs. Mary Shirley Marqueling
656 Santa Fe street
Salina
Kansas



Rev. L. S. Boyce.

The Rev. L. S. Boyce has done good work from the first day of his residence in Hiawatha. Mrs. Boyce is musical and she has had charge of the church music and the music and elocution classes at the Academy.

Charles Edward Shirley, was born at Virgina Illinois, December 6th., 1852. Professed religionin in his 13 years Joined the Cumberlain Presbytirean Church. come to Kansas January 1st., 1868, then joined the Presbyterian church, Lived in Kansas every sibnce, except 1½yrs. in Missouri. About 7 yrs. ago he joined the Methodist church. Jome to Wallace County spring of1907, resided here since. Psalms 91-2, Second Timothy 4-7. Song, Going down the valley one by one.

William Shirley was born Jan. 22nd. 1810 and departed this life atHiawatha Kansas. Sept. 14, 1898 He was 80 years old, 7 months, and 22 days. At VirginaIll., in 1842, he married Mary T. Beesley. Who in her 77 year. still survived him. The three childrenare Mrs. Harriet E. Berryhill, of Hiawatha Kansas. Dr. J.M. Shirley of Marshell Mo., and C.E. Shirley of O neida Kansas, In1830 Mr. Shirley rode 8 miles on horese back to see and hear his first Cumberland Presbyterian preacher, the Reverand A.M. Bryant, In 1833 he attended a camp meeting where T.G. Black preached, He professed religion at a meeting held in August 1837, by Neal and H.A. Porter at Edmonton Ky. and soon after joined the Cumberland Presbyterian Church, In1839 he was ordained a ruling elder, and served in actual service about 50 yrs. He has been a subscriber and reader of the church papers ever since 1839. He was a member of Logan Presbyterian in fall of 1839, he was a member of the General Assembly at Owensboro in 1842 and has been a member of two General Assemblies since. In June 1840 he moved to Virgina Ill. where he resided untill 1868, He and Mrs. Shirley were charter members of the Cumberland Presbyterian church of Virgina, He is now the only charter member living. During the past 30 yrs. he has made his home in Kansas. While his loyalty to his church was great yet his loyalty to his master was greater. This was shown by his love of God &. children and by his finding a church home where ever his lot cast him. He was a charter member of the Congregational Church at Hiawatha where he remained untill the church of his choice was organised, then removing to his farm he took his letter to the Cumberlain Presbyterian church of near Capioma, Kansas. In which church he served faith fully as a ruling elder untill he made his last earthly home in Hiawatha Kansas. At the time of his death he was an honored and consistent member of the Presbyterian church of Hiawatha. Few servants of the Lord are spared to give such prolonged and valuable service to the church. Not only in public life was his godliness evident, but deeper we find the hidden spring of his activity. During his Christian service, Family worship was observed twice daily without interferance By his simple faith and childlike trust he reflected the Masters likeness in his daily life.

L. S. Boyce,
Hiawatha Kansas

Shirleys

Thomas Shirley - born 1746 - Died 1830 - Age 84 yrs.
Mary Shirley .. 1750 - .. 1846 - .. 96 ..

Thomas & Mary Shirley married May 7, 1770.
Heirs of theirs as follows:

Richard Shirley Feb. 22, 1771 - died 1846
(I) William Shirley Mch. 15, 1773 - .. 1833
(II) Thomas Shirley June 15 1775 - .. 1851
Elijah Shirley Oct. 1, 1777 .. 1807
Nancy Shirley Nov. 1, 1779 .. —
Elizabeth Shirley May 1782 .. —
Sarah Shirley — 1786 .. —
Jennie Shirley Oct. 1788 .. 1790

(II) Thomas Shirley born June 15, 1775 - Apr. 1851
Hannah Shirley his wife born June 1779 - Jan. 1859
Heirs of Thomas & Hannah Shirley:
Elijah Shirley born March 7, 1803
Levi Shirley .. Jan. 7, 1806 died Aug. 1833
Martin Shirley .. Aug. 20, 1811 —
John Shirley .. Sept. 17, 1813 .. March 1844
Lucey Shirley .. Apr. 15, 1815 —
II William Shirley .. Jan. 22, 1818 —
II William Shirley & Mary J. Beasley married Oct. 13, 1842
Their heirs - Harriet Shirley Berryhill, Wm M. Shirley & Amanda his wife. Chas. Ed. Shirley & wife Huldah.

MARIAN O. SHIRLEY
1007 FREDRICK DR. S.
INDIANAPOLIS, IN 46260

Family Record.

DEATHS.

Benjamin Thomas Shirley departed this life July 29th A D 1862 (ag. 2y 2m 13d)

William Shirley

Departed this life at Miawalla Kans Sept. 14 1898, aged 80 years 7 mo 22 days

Mary A Shirley departed this life at Marshall Mo (her daughters) on April 10 1901-3-30 P.M. Aged 79 yrs and 29 days

William M Shirley Departed this life May 25 1921 Age 73 yrs 2 m 20 da

Minnie Coe Married E Berryhill Departed this life at Oklahoma City Okla March 15 1924 age 31 yrs 11 da

DEATHS.

Lee Shirley Departed this life Aug 1833

Thomas Shirley died April 9 1851

Hannah Shirley died Jan 20 1859

Elijah Shirley died April 1865

Martin Shirley died (illegible)

Dicy Tadigo (died) Nov 5 1877

John Shirley dede 11 mar 10 1844.

Charles E. Shirley Departed this life Oct 14 1937 8:10 P.M. age 84 yrs 10 mo 13 Days

Huldah A. Shirley Departed this life June 19 1760 10:15 P.M. age 97 yrs 9 months 6 days

Raymond Shirley departed this life Feb 14, 1970 6:40 P.M. age 76 yrs 4 months. After a lengthy illness.

A. Pauline Shirley departed this life Feb. 8, 1975 1:30 PM age 50 years.

Family Record.

BIRTHS.

Thomas Shirley
born 1774

Hannah Shirley
born July 1779

Elejah Shirley
born mar 7 1803

Levi Shirley
born mar 7 1807

Marten Shirley
born aug 20 1811

John Shirley born
sept 15 1818

Dicy Shirley was
Borned april 15 1815

Viola Fay Shirley was
born April 27 1929
Fountain Colo

Anna Louise Shirley
was born april 27 - 1927
Fountain Colo.

Clarence Eugene Shirley
jan. 6 - 1939 Pueblo Colo.

BIRTHS.

Massee Jane McDaniel
was borned Oct 18th 1839

Family Record.

BIRTHS.

William Shirley was
borned January 22nd 1818

Mary J Beesley was
borned 12th of March 1822

Harriett Eliza Shirley
was borned 4th of August 1843

William Morris Shirley
was borned 5th March 1848

Charles Edward Shirley
Was borned 6th December 1852

Benjamin Thomas Shirley
was borned May 16th 1860

BIRTHS.

Raymond Shirly was
Born Hiawatha Kans
Oct 22 1893
Mary L Shirly was Born
Hiawatha Kans nov 20 1895
Frank B Shirley was
born Onida Kans Jan 7 1899
Violet Fern Shirly was
born at Sharon Springs Kan
Apr 1 1921
Louise Marie Marguelsing
was born at Salina Kans
Sep 6 1921
Mary Elizabeth Shirly was
born at Fountain Colo
Feb 19 1923
Henry Edward Marguling
was born at Sharon Springs
Kans. Apr 15 1924
Ruth Eleen Shirly was
born at Fountain Colo
nov 11 1924
Charles A Marguling
was born Sharon Springs
Kan nov 30 1926

Viola Fay Shirley
born May 21 1928
Fountain Colo

Edward Robert Shirley
was Born Denver Colo
November 15 1931
William Ray Shirley Born
april 1 1932 Pueblo Colo

Anna Louise Shirley
Born april 27th 1927

Family Record.

III.

MARRIAGES.	MARRIAGES.
William Shirley and Mary J Beesley was married October 13th 1842	Elijah Shurley Polly Harbeson was married 1828
Harriet E Shirley and Lib Berryhill was married July 13th 1867	Levi Shurley & Nancy Nawham was 1832
William M Shirley and Amanda Ellis was married July 4 1880	Martin Shurley Elizebeth Smith 183[illegible]
Charles E Shirley was married Jany 5th 1893 to Huldah Baker	John Shurley mary J Hackett 18[illegible]2
Frank B Shirley was married Oct 2 1930 to Hazel D McGrath	Mary Shurley John Tedrow Dead 1834
Raymond Shirley and was married to Pauline Hill June 10 1920 Colorado Springs	
Mary Louise Shirley was married to Tony F. Marqueling on Sept 30, 1930	

H. & E. PHINNEY'S STEREOTYPE EDITION.

II

THE

HOLY BIBLE,

CONTAINING THE

OLD AND NEW TESTAMENTS:

TOGETHER WITH

THE APOCRYPHA:

TRANSLATED OUT OF THE ORIGINAL TONGUES,

AND WITH

THE FORMER TRANSLATIONS DILIGENTLY COMPARED AND REVISED.

WITH

Canne's Marginal Notes and References.

TO WHICH ARE ADDED

AN INDEX:

AN ALPHABETICAL TABLE,

OF ALL THE NAMES IN THE OLD AND NEW TESTAMENTS, WITH THEIR SIGNIFICATIONS;

Tables of Scripture Weights, Measures, and Coins, &c.

COOPERSTOWN, N. Y.
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Mary E Shirley's

Bible

Presented by her Father

Benjamin Beasley

1843

ENCLOSURES

I This is a xerox copy of the inside front hard cover of the Bible.

II This is a xerox copy of the copyright page of the Bible.

III This is a xerox copy of the Family Record section of the Bible including marriages, births, and deaths.

IV This is a xerox copy of a piece of onion skin paper found in the Bible. The "bleed through" writing on the left end of the sheet is a note written on the back side of the onion skin. It reads, "Notice, Dad and the first Thomas Shirley were the only ones to reach 84 years. The first Mary Shirley, his wife, was 96. Otherwise, none lived to be even 80, except Wm. II, our Grandfather." I believe this handwriting to be that of my Aunt Mary Louise (Shirley) Marqueling, who obtained the information from her second cousin, Ermine Shirley, the daughter of Martin Shirley, who was William Shirley II brother. Ermine Shirley died in the 1930's in Boulder, Colorado.

V This is a xerox copy of a letter found in the Bible. The picture is a newspaper clipping.

VI This is a xerox copy of a letter found in the Bible.

VII This is a xerox copy of a notice found in the Bible. It is the public sale of my Grandfather's, Charles Edward Shirley, farm in Sharon Springs, Kansas (year of sale is unknown).

VIII This is a compilation derived from Enclosure III and Enclosure IV to present day Shirley's.

W. Shirley
324 Sunset Lane
Pueblo, Colo. 81005

Mrs. Marian Shirley
1007 Fredrick Dr. S.
Indianapolis IN 46280

James A Young

Note: No mention made of heirs of dau. Sarah Dale who died in 1831 - also heirs of dau. Elizabeth who died between 1831 & 1835 Dan Milliam & had ~~married~~ lived until 1840 is apparently also dead by 1835

The Shirleys Heirs
to
Deed
James Shirley

1835 Nov 16 proo
by Step. Radcliff

21st Nov. 1836 prov. by
Oath of Jam. G. Hardy as
to Rich. Shirley Thomas
Shirley Nancy Smith
Tho Smith Lettie Cullen
Wm Cullen & Tho. Shirley Jr
R Barnett D.C.

1846 Dec 1 - Thos Cy Dec
Tho Shirley

This Indenture made and entered into on the fourteenth day of October 1835 between Reuben Shirley, Thomas Shirley, Nancy Smith late Shirley & her Husband Thomas Smith Lettice Cullins late Shirley and her husband Wm. Cullins, Heirs of Thomas Shirley Dec'd and Lettice Shirley late Shirley and her Husband Reuben Shirley James Shirley, William Shirley, and Thomas Shirley Infant Children and Heirs of the late Elizabeth Pair, late Shirley who was Child and Heir of the said Thomas Shirley Dec'd of the one part and James Shirley of Barren County of the other part Witnesseth, That for and in consideration of Three Hundred dollars in hand paid the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, have bargained and sold, and do by these presents bargain and sell unto James Shirley, one certain tract or parcel of Land lying and being in Barren County and State of Kentucky on the head waters of Blue Spring creek, being the same allotted to James and lines including by estimation one hundred acres, and bounded as follows —— Beginning on a Post oak and two Gums, thence S 4 & E 198 poles to a chestnut, red oak and black oak, thence South Eastwardly, to Thomas Shirleys corner, a red oak and Spanish oak thence N 5 W 130 poles to four post oaks, thence West to a stake in Hamiltons line Thomas Shirleys corner, thence with his line to the Beginning — To have and to hold the said tract of Land with all the appurtinances to the only proper use and behoof of him the said James Shirley — And the said Rich Shirley. Thomas Shirley, Nancy Smith Thomas Smith Lettice Cullins William Cullins, Lettice Shirley. Reuben Shirley, James Shirley, William Shirley, and Thomas Shirley jr unto the said James Shirley, do warrant, and forever defend the

right and title to be free from them and their Heirs Ex.rs Adm.rs and assigns, and from the claim or claims of all and every person or persons whatsoever In testimony whereof the said Richard Shirley Thomas Shirley Nancy Smith Thomas Smith Lettice Cullins William Cullins Lettice Shirley Reuben Shirley James Shirley William Shirley and Thomas Shirley jr. have hereunto set their hands & affixed their seals the day and date first above mentioned

Richard Shirley Seal

Thomas his + mark Shirley Seal

Nancy her mark Smith Seal

Thomas his + mark Smith Seal

Lettice her + mark Cullins Seal

Wm Cullins Seal

James Shirley Seal

William Shirley by his + mark Seal

Seal

Seal

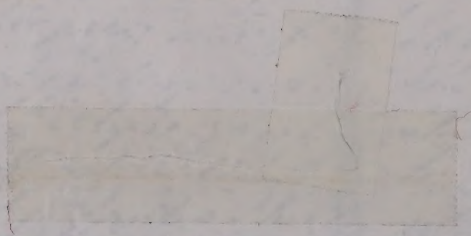
Thomas his + mark Shirley Seal

Sealed sealed and Delivered by
Richd Shirly Thomas Shirly
Nancy Smith Thomas Smith Lettice
Cullins William Cullins
Thomas Shirley jr in pres
ence of

Jas Hardy

Stephen Ratliff

Presley Thomas



every person or persons whatsoever. In testimony whereof the said Richard Shirley, Thomas Shirley, Nancy Smith, Thomas Smith, Lettice Cullins, Wm. Cullins, Lettice Shirley, Reuben Shirley, James Shirley, William Shirley, and Thomas Shirley Jr. have hereunto set their hands and affixed their seals this day and date first above names.

Signed, sealed and delivered by
Rich. Shirley, Thomas Shirley,
Nancy Smith, Thomas Smith,
Lettice Cullins, William Cullins
and Thomas Shirley Jr. in presence
of

James G. Hardy
Stephen Ratliff
Presley N. Thomas

Richard Shirley (seal)

Thomas Shirley (seal)

her
Nancy X Smith (seal)
mark

his
Thomas X Smith (seal)
mark

her
Lettice X Cullins (Seal)
mark

Wm. Cullins (SEal)

James Shirley (Seal)

his
William X Shirley (Seal)
Mark

(SEal)

(Seal)

(Seal)

His
Thomas X Shirley Jr. (Seal)
mark

note from James Howard Young
Edmonton, Ky.

No mention made of heairs of dau. Sarah Dale who died 1831. All heirs of dau. Elizabeth who died between 1831 and 1835. Son William I had believed lived until 1840 also dead by 1835.

Tho. Shirley's heirs
To Deed
James Shirley

1835 Nov. 16 proved
by Step. Ratliff

21st Nov. 1836 known by
oath of James G. Hardy __
to Rich. Shirley, Thomas
Shirley, Nancy Smith,
Tho Smith, Lettice Cullins,
Wm. Cullins and Tho. Shirley Jr.
R.G. Gannett D__

1846 Dec. 1 as known by ____
Thom Shirley

This Indenture made and entered into on the fourteenth day of October 1835 between Richard Shirley, Thomas Shirley, Nancy Smith late Shirley and her husband Thomas Smith, Lettuce Cullins late Shirley and her husband Wm. Cullins, heirs of Thomas Shirley Sr. Dec'd., and Lettice Shirley late Shirley and her husband Reuben Shirley, James Shirley, William Shirley and Thomas Shirley Jr., children and heirs of the late Elizabeth Price, late Shirley, who was child and Heir of the said Thomas Shirley Sr. Dec'd of the one part; and James Shirley of Barren Co., Ky. of the other part. Witnesseth that for and in consideration of three hundred dollars in hand paid, the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, have bargained and sold and do by these presents bargain and sell until James Shirley one certain tract or parcel of land lying and being in Barren Co. and state of Kentucky on the _____ waters of Blue Spring Creek, being the place where said James now lives including by estimation one hundred acres and bounded as follows:

Beginning on a Post oak and five gums, thence S. 58 E 198 poles to a chestnut, red oak and black oak, thence South Eastwardly to Thomas Shirley's corner, a red oak and Spannish oak, thence N & W 130 poles to four post oaks, thene West to a stake in Hamilton's line, Thomas Shirley's cousin, thence with his line to the Beginning -- to have and to hold the said tract of land with all the appurtinances to the only proper use and be_____ of _____ the said James Shirley And the said Rich. Shirley, Thomas Shirley, Nancy Smith, Thomas Smith, Lettice Cullins, William Cullins, Lettice Shirley, Reuben Shirley, James Shirley, Wm. Shirley and Thomas Shirley, Jr. unto the said James Shirley, do warrant and forever defend the right and title to be free from them and their heirs _____ _____ and _____ and from the claim or claims of all and every person or persons whatsoever. In testimony whereof the said Richard Shirley, Thomas Shirley, Nancy Smith, Thomas Smith, Lettice Cullins, Wm. Cullins,

Deed concerns heirs of Thomas Shirley (Barren Co., Ky.) --m. Mollie Grubbs (ID=482)

who sold land to James Shirley (son of Richard, m. cousin Molly (Polly) Shirley (ID=2835)

Heirs include (Thomas Shirley called Thomas Shirley Sr. in deed)

Richard (ID=2753)

Thomas (ID=2755) called Thomas Jr. in Seyffert computer printout

Nancy Shirley Smith (ID=2757)
Thomas Smith (ID=2763)

Lettice (Letitia) Shirley Cullins (no ID)
Wm. Cullins (no ID)

Elizabeth Shirley Shirley Price (ID=241)

Elizabeth's heirs:

Lettice Shirley Shirley (ID=2836)
Reuben Shirley (ID=2837)

James Shirley (d. Hendricks Co., Ind.) ID=2832

William (ID=120)

Thomas Jr. (ID=2838) (Thomas Jr. in deed--not to be confused with Thos. Jr. in Seyffert printout)

26 Nov. 1774
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This Indenture made this XXVI 26th day of November in the year of our Lord One thousand Seven hundred and Seventy four Between William Watt and Lettice his wife of the County of Prince William of the one part and Thomas Shurly of the County of Fauquier of the other part Witnesseth that the said William Watt and Lettice his wife for and in Consideration of the sum of Fifty pounds Current Money of Virginia to him in hand paid by the said Thomas Shurly at or before the delivery of these presents the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged hath given granted bargained sold aliened and confirmed and by these presents doth fully and clearly give grant Bargain sell alien and confirm unto the said Thomas Shurly his heirs and assigns all that Tract or parcel of Land containing one hundred and two acres be the same more or less being part of a purchase made by the aforesaid William Watt of the Executors of Charles Carter Esq.r Dec.d situate Lying and being in the County of Fauquier and bounded as follow viz Beginning at a Spanish Oak on the side of a Glade in Walkers Line and Extends thence N 48½ E 190 poles to two spanish Oak saplons on McClanachans lone near a Glade of Little Run thence with McClanachans Line N 41 W 103 poles to a red Oak and two white Oaks on the brow of a hill corner to McClannahan thence S 41½ W 180 poles to two black oaks on the Brow of a stony hill in Steeles Line a corner with John Shurly thence with John Shurley's line S 41 E 87½ poles to the Beginning and all the Estate right Title Interest Claim & demand

Whatsoever

heirs and assigns of in and to the said Tract or parcel of Land & premises with their appurtenances and every part and parcel thereof & the Reversion and Reversions, Remainder and Remainders rents and Profits of the Premises and of every part and parcel thereof To have and to hold the said parcel of land and all and singular the premises and every part and parcel thereof with their and every of their appurtenances unto the said Thomas Sherly his heirs and Assigns forever to the only proper use and behoof of him the said Thomas Sherly his heirs & Assigns for ever more, The Quitrents hereafter to become due only excepted, And the said William Wyatt & Lettice Wyatt their heirs Executors & Administrators the aforesaid granted premises with the appurtenances unto the said Thomas Sherly his heirs & Assigns against him the said William Wyatt & Lettice Wyatt their heirs and Assigns and against all other persons whatsoever shall & will Warrant and forever defend by These presents And the said William Wyatt for himself his heirs Execrs & Administrators and every of them doth Covenant Grant and agree to and with the said Thomas Sherly his heirs and Assigns that he the said Thomas Sherly his heirs & Assigns shall & may from time to time and at all times hereafter peaceably and Quietly have hold possess & enjoy it his and their proper use and behoof the aforesaid tract of Land and premises and every part and parcel thereof with their appurtenances whatever thereunto belonging or in any wise appertaining without the Lawful let Suit trouble or disturbance of him the said William Wyatt his heirs and Assigns or any other person or persons whatsoever free & clear and freely and clearly discharged of and from all and all manner of dower title of Dower or other Incumbrance Whatsoever In Witness whereof the said William Wyatt hath hereunto set his hand and seal the day & year first above Written

proper use and behoof of him the said Thomas Sherly his heirs & Assigns
for ever more, The Quitrents hereafter to become due only excepted, And the
said William Wyatt & Lettice Wyatt their heirs Executors & Administra-
tors the aforesaid Granted premises with the appurtenances unto the said
Thomas Sherly his heirs & Assigns against him the said William
Wyatt & Lettice Wyatt their heirs and Assigns and against all other
persons whatsoever shall & will Warrant and forever defend by these
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Administrators and every of them doth Covenant Grant and agree to and
with the said Thomas Sherly his heirs and Assigns that he the said
Thomas Sherly his heirs & Assigns shall & may from time to time and
at all times hereafter peaceably and Quietly have hold possess & enjoy
& his said their proper use and behoof the aforesaid tract of Land and
premises and every part and parcel thereof with their appurtenances whatever
thereunto belonging or in any wise appertaining without the Lawful let Suit
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any other person or persons whatsoever free & clear and freely and clearly
discharged of and from all and all manner of dower title of Dower or other
Incumbrance Whatsoever In Witness whereof the said William Wyatt
hath hereunto set his hand and seal the day & year first above Written

Sealed & delivered in presence of } Mem.d that before sealing and delivery Lettice Wyatt name was interlined in the room place after that of William Wyatt

William Wyatt Ls
Lettice her mark Wyatt Ls

Received the day of the date of the within Indenture from the within
named Thomas Sherly the sum of Fifty pounds Current Money being
the Consideration therein mentioned I say rec.d by me

William Wyatt

At a Court held for Fauquier County the 28th day of November 1774
This Indenture and the receipt thereon endorsed were acknowledged by the said
William Wyatt and Lettice his wife (she being first privily examined as the Law
directs) to be their act and deed and ordered to be recorded

Teste J. Brooke C.

26 Nov 1774
Thos. & Mary Lyt
Land
Bond in Sangree Co.

This Indenture made this day of in the year
of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and seventy nine
Between Thomas Sturly and Mary his wife of the County
Fauquier of the one part and William Looke of the same County
of the other part Witnesseth that the said Thomas Sturly and
Mary his wife for and in consideration of the sum of One hun-
dred and ninety three pounds sixteen Shillings Current Money
of Virginia to them in hand paid by the said William Looke
at or before the delivery of these presents the Receipt whereof is
hereby acknowledged hath Given, Granted, Bargained, Sold
Aliened and Confirmed and by these presents doth fully and
clearly & Give Grant, Bargain, Sell Alien and Confirm unto
the

the said William Cooke his heirs and assigns all that part or parcel of land containing One hundred and two Acres be the same more or less being part of a purchase made by William Wyatt of the Exors of Charles Carter Esqr deceased situate lying and being in the County of Fauquier, and bounded as followeth, Beginning at a Spanish Oak on the side of a Glade in Watkins line, and extends thence N.D. 84 E 190 Poles to two Spanish oak saplins in McClanahans line near a Glade of Kettle Run thence with McClanahans line N.D. 11 W 103 poles to a Red oak and two white Oaks on the brow of a Hill corners to McClanahan thence N.D. 82 W 180 poles to two black Oaks on the brow of a stony hill in Saml Steeles line, a Corner with John Shirley, thence with John Shirleys line S.D. 8 W 87 Poles to the beginning. and all the Estate, Right Title, Interest, Claim and demand whatsoever of him the said Thomas Shirley and Mary his wife, their heirs and assigns of in and to the said Tract or parcel of Land and premises with their appurtenances and every part and parcel thereof and the Reversion and Reversions Remainder and Remainders, Rents Issues and Profits of the said premises and of every part and parcel thereof. To have and to hold the said parcel of Land and all and singular the premises and every part and parcel thereof with their and every of their appurtenances unto the said William Cooke his heirs and assigns forever to the only proper use of him the said William Cooke his heirs and assigns forever more. The Quitrents hereafter to become due only excepted. and the said Thomas

Poles to two Spanish Oak saplins in McClanahans line near a Glade of Kettle River thence with McClanahans line N D1 W 103 poles to a Red oak and two white Oaks on the brow of a Hill corners to McClanahan thence N 1/2 W 180 poles to two black Oaks on the brow of a stony hill on Steeles (same) line a Corner with John Shirly thence with John Shirlys line N 88 W 87 1/2 Poles to the beginning and all the Estate Right Title, Interest Claim and demand whatsoever of him the said Thomas Shirly and Mary his wife their heirs and Assigns in and to the said Tract or parcel of Land and premises with their appurtenances and every part and parcel thereof and the Reversion and Reversions Remainder and Remainders Rents Issues and Profits of the said premises and of every part and parcel thereof. To have and to hold the said parcel of Land and all and singular the premises and every part and parcel thereof with their and every of their appurtenances unto the said William Cooke his heirs and Assigns forever to the only proper use of him the said William Cooke his heirs and Assigns forever more the Quitrents hereafter to become due only excepted. And the said Thomas Shirly and Mary his wife their heirs Ex[r] and Adm[r] all and singular the said granted premises with their appurtenances unto the said William Cooke his heirs and Assigns, against him the said Thomas Shirly and Mary his wife their heirs and Assigns and against all other persons whatsoever shall and will warrant and forever defend by these presents. And the said Thomas Shirly for himself

Grant and agreeth to and with the said William Cooke his heirs and assigns that he the said William Cooke his heirs and assigns shall and may from time to time and at all times hereafter peaceably and quietly have, hold, possess and enjoy to his and their only proper use and behoof the aforesaid Tract of Land and premises and every part and parcel thereof with their appurtenances whatsoever thereunto belonging or in any wise appertaining without the lawful Let, Suit, Trouble or disturbance of him the said Thomas Hurly his heirs and assigns or any other person or persons whatsoever free and clear and freely and clearly discharged of and from all and all manner of Dower, title of Dower, or other incumbrance whatsoever. In Witness whereof the parties to these presents have hereunto set their hands and seals the day and year first above written.

Signed, Sealed & Delivered in presence of
James Hathaway
Arnbrose Barnett

Thomas Hurly L.S.
Marah + Hurly L.S.
mark

Received the day of the date of the within written Indenture from the within named William Cooke the sum of One hundred and fourteen pounds sixteen shillings Current Money in the Consideration thereon mentioned. I say rec'd by me

Thomas Hurly

Witnesses
Arnbrose Barnett, James Hathaway.

At a Court held for Ezquiuen County the 21th day of May 1779
This Indenture and the Receipt thereon endorsed were acknowledged by the said Thomas Hurly and Mary his wife to be

[illegible] however disturbance of him the said Thomas Hurly his heirs and assigns or any other person or persons whatsoever free and clear and freely and clearly discharged of and from all and all manner of Dower, title of Dower, or other encumbrance whatsoever. In Witness whereof the parties to these presents have hereunto set their hands and seals the day and year first above written.

Signed, Sealed & Delivered in the presence of
James Hathaway
Ambrose Barnett

Thomas Hurly L.S.
Mariah + Hurly L.S.
mark

Received the day of the date of the within written Indenture from the within named William Cooke the sum of One hundred and nineteen pounds sixteen shillings Currency Money of the Commonwealth therein mentioned. I say rec'd by me

Witnesses
Ambrose Barnett, James Hathaway.

Thomas Hurly

At a Court held for Dauphin County the 24th day of May 1779 this Indenture and the Receipt thereon endorsed were acknowledged by the said Thomas Hurly and Mary his wife (she being first privately examined as the Law directs) to be their act and deed and ordered to be recorded.

Ex. x Rots

Teste, Wrenkel &c

24 May 1779

1779
Lee land
Fauq. Co.
Thos. & Mary

8 Oct 1779

Commonwealth of Virginia

This Indenture made the eighth day of October in the Year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred & seventy nine between Thomas Shirley & Mary his wife & William Cooke & Elizabeth his wife of the County of Augusta of the one part & George Neale of the same County of the other part witnesseth that the said Thomas Shirley & Mary his wife & William Cooke & Elizabeth his wife for & in consideration of the sum of one hundred & ninety five pounds current money of Virginia to them in hand paid by the said George Neale at & before the ensealing & delivery of these presents the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged hath given granted bargained sold released & confirmed & by these presents do fully & absolutely give grant bargain sell alien & confirm unto the said George Neale his heirs & assigns a certain tract or parcel of land containing & by survey made by William Bryan Deputy Surveyor of the County aforesaid for Robert Baylor Esq[r] the 3d day of July 1779 being in the County of Augusta & bounded as follows to wit Beginning at a white oak on the side of a glade in Watkins's line & extends thence N 18½ E 190 poles to two spanish oaks on the side of a ridge of Shenandoah Mountain thence with the meanders of the same N 11½ W 103 poles to a red oak & white oak on the side of a hill thence to M[c]Cormacks thence S 11½ W 180 poles to two hickories on the side of a stony hill in Watkins's line thence

William Steele's

aforesaid whatsoever of him the said Thomas Shirley & Mary
wife & William Cooke & Stacy his wife their heirs & assigns
unto the said part or parcell of land & premises with their &
every of their appurtenances & every part & parcell thereof & the reversion &
remainder & remainders, rents & profits of the premises & of
every part & parcell thereof to have and to hold the said
granted premises & every part & parcell thereof & all
& singular the premises & every part & parcell thereof
with their & every of their appurtenances unto the said George
Veale his heirs & assigns for ever to the only proper use & behoof of
the said George Veale his heirs & assigns for ever more, And the Rever-
sion & reversions thereof & the same & every part & parcell thereof
shall & may be from time to time & at all times hereafter
lawfully & peaceably & quietly had held & enjoyed, And the said
Thomas Shirley & Mary his wife & William Cooke & Stacy his wife
their heirs & assigns for ever & all & every other person & persons
whatsoever lawfully claiming or to claim any estate right title or
interest of in or to the aforesaid granted premises or any part
or parcell thereof by from or under them or any of them shall &
will from time to time & at all times hereafter upon the reasonable
request & at the proper costs & charges in the law of the said
George Veale his heirs & assigns make do & execute or cause &
procure to be made done & executed all & every such further &
other lawful & reasonable act & acts thing & things device &
assurance & assurances in the law whatsoever for the further
better & more perfect granting & assuring the said granted
premises & every part & parcell thereof unto & to the use of
the said George Veale his heirs & assigns as by the said George
Veale his heirs & assigns or his or their counsel learned in the law
shall be reasonably devised advised or required And the said
Thomas Shirley & Mary his wife & William Cooke & Stacy his wife
their heirs & assigns the aforesaid granted premises & every
part & parcell thereof with their & every of their appurtenances
unto the said George Veale his heirs & assigns against them the
said Thomas Shirley & Mary his wife & William Cooke & Stacy his wife
their heirs & assigns & all & every other person & persons
whatsoever lawfully claiming or to claim any estate right title or
interest of in or to the aforesaid granted premises or any part
or parcell thereof by from or under them or any of them shall &
will warrant & forever defend by these presents And the said Thomas Shirley & Mary his wife &
William Cooke & Stacy his wife for their several heirs & assigns & every of them doth covenant grant & agree to & with
the said George Veale his heirs & assigns that he the said George
Veale his heirs & assigns shall & may from time to time & at
all times hereafter peaceably & quietly have hold occupy possess
& enjoy the aforesaid part of land & premises with their & every
of their appurtenances without the let suit trouble or disturbance of them the said Thomas Shirley
& Mary his wife & William Cooke & Stacy his wife their heirs
& assigns or any other person or persons whatsoever & clearly & freely
& absolutely acquitted exonerated & discharged of & from all & all manner of Dower, title of
dower & other incumbrances whatsoever. In witness whereof the
said parties to these presents have hereunto set their hands & seals the

the said George Veale heirs & assigns for ever more, to the Quit
rents herefter to become due only excepted. And the said Th
Shirley & Mary his wife & William Cooke & Tracy his wife,
Christian Corse & Simon the aforesaid granted premises unto
Simon & heirs & assigns unto the said George Veale his heirs &
assigns against him the said Thomas Shirley & Mary his wife
& William Cooke & Tracy his wife their heirs & assigns & any
all other person & persons whatsoever shall pretend warrant & forever defend
by these presents & the said Thomas Shirley & Mary his wife
William Cooke & Tracy his wife for themselves their heirs &
& assigns & every of them doth covenant grant & agree to & with
the said George Veale his heirs & assigns that he the said Geo
Veale his heirs & assigns shall & may from time to time and
at all times hereafter peaceably & quietly have hold possess & enj
& every of them & every part & parcel of the aforesaid tract of land & premise
with their & every of their appurtenances without the lawful
hindrance, molestation or disturbance of him the said Thomas Shirley
& Mary his wife & William Cooke & Tracy his wife their heirs
& assigns or any person or persons whatsoever from by means
title claim or demand of & from all & all manner of dower, title of
& all other incumbrances whatsoever. In witness whereof the
said parties to these presents have hereunto set their hands & seals the
day & year first above written

Sealed & delivered
in presence of
Jno Cooke
Wm Mathias
Jno Mathias
Brooke
Jno Bailey

Thomas Shirley [seal]
Mary her X mark Shirley [seal]
William Cooke [seal]
Tracy her X mark Cooke [seal]

Jamque le
8 Oct. 1779
Sel.

1798 103

Thos Sheanly
Others
311 Acres

2238

James Garrard Esqr Governr of the Commonwealth of Kent
whom these Presents shall come greeting Knowye that by virtue and in
Consideration of a Land office Treasury Warrant No 6917 there is granted
by the said Commonwealth unto Thomas Sheanly and Danl Reade assignee of
Robert Johnston and George Newman a certain tract or parcel of Land
containing three hundred acres by Survey bearing date the ninth day of
December one thousand seven hundred and ninety four lying being in
Scott County adjoining a Survey of said Robert Johnston & George Newmans
and Bounded as followeth Viz Beginning at three South West corns
a Beech Poplar and Sugar three thence South two hundred & eighty three po.
to a Hickory Elm and Walnut corner to a Locust thence East crossing
two branches to a black Walnut and two Hickories two hundred &
Eighty three Poles thence North two hundred & eighty three Poles to a
Sugar two Beech corner to their other Survey thence with same
same West two hundred & Eighty three Poles to the Beginn
appurtenances To have and to hold the said tract or parcel
appurtenances to the said Thomas Sheanly Danl Re
Jointly & severally & whereof the said Saines

Scott County adjoining a survey of said Robert Johnston George ...
and Bounded as followeth Viz Beginning at three South West ...
a Beech Poplar and Sugartree thence South two hundred eighty three poles
to a Hickory Elm and Walnut on the bank of Jacks, thence East crossing
two branches to a black Walnut and two Hickories two hundred
Eighty three poles, thence North two hundred eighty three poles to a
Sugartree Beech Corner to their other survey thence with a line of the
same West two hundred & Eighty three poles to the Beginning with all
appurtenances To have and to hold the said tract or Parcel of Land with its
appurtenances to the said Thomas Shively Daniel Neale their Heirs
and Assigns In Witness whereof the said James Garrard Esqr Governor
of the Commonwealth of Kentucky hath hereunto set his hand & caused the
Seal of the Commonwealth to be affixed at Frankfort on the fifteenth
day of May in the year of our Lord 1798 and of the Commonwealth the
Sixth

L S By the Governor James Garrard

Harry Toulmin Secy

1798 104

Thos Shearly
&Others
500 Acres
2239

James Garrard Esqr. Governr of the Commonwealth of Kentucky to all
whom these presents shall come greeting Knowye that by virtue and in Consi-
ration of a Land Office Treasury Warrant No. 694 there is granted by the said
Commonwealth unto Thomas Shearly and Danl Neale assee of Robert Johnston
and George Newman a certain tract or parcel of Land containing five hundred
Acres by Survey bearing date the tenth day of December one thousand seven
hundred and ninety four lying and being in Scott County on the Waters of
Ravenbush and bounded as followeth Viz Beginning at six Beech
trees one of which is marked B. I. a Popular standing near the old track
leading from George Town to the mouth of Licking down a small run
to the East of the same Nearly opposite the mouth of another fork comes
into said run Beginning comes to Elam & Logwoods entry Survey of 500 acres
thence South up said run 283 Poles to a Beech Popular & Sugartree
thence East 283 poles crossing the run to a Sugartree and Beech thence
North 283 poles passing three Sugartrees to a stake thence East 283 poles
to the Beginning with its appurtenances To have and to hold the said
tract or parcel of Land with its appurtenances to the said Thomas Shearly
Danl Neale and their Heirs forever Witness whereof the
James Garrard Esqr Governr of the Commonw

leaving from George Town to the mouth of Licking thence a Small run to the East of the same Nearly opposite the mouth of another fork comeing into said run Beginning comes to Evan Logwoods entry Survey of 500 acres thence South up said run 283 poles to a Beech Poplar & Sugartree thence East 283 poles crossing the run to a Sugartree and Beech thence North 283 poles passing three Sugartrees to a stake thence East 283 poles to the Beginning with its appurtenances To have and to hold the said tract or parcel of Land with its appurtenances to the said Thomas Nearly & Danl Neal and their Heirs forever In testimony whereof the said James Garrard Esqr Governor of the Commonwealth of Kentucky hath hereunto set his hand caused the seal of the Commonwealth to be affixed at Frankfort on the Seventh day of May in the year of our Lord 1798 and of the Commonwealth the fifth

Ls By the Governor James Garrard

Harry Toulmin Secy

1798-K4.

Parents: Thomas Shirley b. 1746 Va.
Mollie Grubbs

RICHARD, b. Feb. 22, 1771; d. 1846
m. Nancy Green - b. 1772 (?)
niece of Gen. Nathaniel Green.

Children

1. Reuben, b. 1795
m. Lettitia (Lettice) Shirley - double cousins b. 1810; m. Dec. 13,1826
(her parents were Elizabeth and Robert Shirley, first cousins: Elizabeth was the daughter of Thomas; Robert was the son of James. Thomas and James were brothers. She is therefore Reuben's second cousin through Robert; and first cousin through Elizabeth.)

2. Thomas, b. 1796; m. Jennie Bowles
had 2 sons: Zachariah and Thomas Jefferson

3. Henry, b. 1799; m. Sophia Read; d. 6-30-55
had 2 daughters

4. Gabriel, b._____ d. bef. 1846
never married, died as a young man

5. James, b. 1804
m. Mary Shirley, daughter of the above Robert and Elizabeth, and therefore another double-cousin marriage

6. Frances, b. 1807
never married, considered a great beauty in her youth

7. George, b. 1809 - never married

8. Sarah, b. 1811
m. John Read, 5 children

9. Elizabeth, b. 1815 (Fanny)
m. Alexander Thomas - a cousin; had four children
(Alexander was the son of Melinda Shirley and Preseley N. Thomas. Melinda was the daughter of James mentioned above. See Reuben note)

My father-in-law has letters which I believe are from Reuben's Lettitia dated 1877 and 1884 which show Lettie living in her old age in Mud Lick, Monroe Co., Ky. In the later letter, she mentions that she is living with Nancy Green. The other letter has also a note from her son with it--from James, Randolph, Metcalf County. He mentions that "father died Feb. 14, 1875"-which should be Reuben--with a cancer in his eye.

Lettitia and Reuben's children were: Anderson, Elizabeth, James Robert, Nancy Green. I think this daughter is the Nancy Green Lettie mentions in the letter. According to James Young, only Anderson had heirs.

This is the first time I have tried to get this family group pulled together from my disorganized notes....from Betty Shirley, From James Howard Young, from our letters. It probably contains many errors.

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Sources and Notes:

HUSBAND'S NAME Robert SHIRLEY Sr cy

Born At

Married At

Died c1813 At Barren Co Ky

Buried at

Residence(s)

Schools Attended

Occupation

Military Record

Church

Property

Father's Full Name James SHIRLEY

Mother's Maiden Name Mary McMEKIN

Other wives

WIFE'S MAIDEN NAME Elizabeth SHIRLEY

Born May 1785 At

Died At

Buried at

Residence(s)

Schools Attended

Occupation

Father's Full Name Thomas SHIRLEY

Mother's Maiden Name Mary (Mollie) GRUBBS

Other Husbands (2) Daniel PRICE, 1818

CHILDREN:

Name James SHIRLEY Born 30 July 1803 At Barren Co, Ky

Married Deborah PRESLEY Date 13 Dec 1827 At Barren Co, Ky

Died 1893 At Lincoln Twp, Hardin Co, Ia Buried

Name William SHIRLEY Born c 1805 At Ky

Married Sarah PRESLEY Date 1 Apr 1828 At Barren Co, Ky

Died At Buried

Name Mary (Polly) SHIRLEY Born c 1806 At Ky

Married James SHIRLEY Date 5 Mar 1825 At Barren Co, Ky

Died 17 Sept 1858 At Buried

Name Letitia SHIRLEY Born c 1810 At Ky

Married Reuben SHIRLEY Date 13 Dec 1826 At

Died At Buried

Name Thomas SHIRLEY Born c 1812 At Ky

Married Martha (Patsy) PIPER Date 15 July 1830 At Barren Co Ky

Died 1 May 1878 At hung himself Barren Co Ky Buried

Name Born At

Married Date At

Died At Buried

Name Born At

Married Date At

Died At Buried

Name Martha PRICE Born At

Married Date At

Died At Buried

Name Born At

Married Date At

Died At Buried

Some of the loving RELATIVES I could hang!!!.
They SEEM TO THINK I'm NUTS — MAYBE I AM —
ONE LADY HERE Told me WHEN COUSINS - INTER MARRIED
IT CAUSE INSANITY — HANA WE'd ALL BE NUTS —
Shirley Bowles is RELATED TO me so many Times
WE ARE PRACTICALLY — WELL Something —

love

JERI —

Hope You like this INF. You NEVER DID SEND ME THAT
FUNNY and LETTER!

THOMAS SHIRLEY B. 1746 D. 1830 MARRIED MAY 7, 1770
MARY SHIRLEY B. 1750 D. 1846

1. Richard Feb. 22,1771 - 1846
2. William March 15, 1773 - 1833
3. Thomas Jr. June 15, 1775 -1851
4. Elijah Oct. 1, 1777 - 1807
5. Nancy Nov. 1, 1779 - ?
6. Elizabeth May 1782 - ? 1830
7. Sarah 1786-? 3-18-1831
8. Fannie Oct. 1788 -1790

Thomas Jr. June 15,1775 - April 4, 1851
Hannah (Dale) June 6, 1779 - Jan 20, 1859 or 57

1. Elijah Mar. 7. 1803 - April, 1865
2. Levi Jan. 1, 1806 - August, 1833
3. Martin August 2[illegible], 1811 - 1869
4. John Sept. 14, 1813 - March 16, 1844
5. Dicey April 15, 1815 - Nov. 5, 1877
6. William Jan. 22, 1818 - Oct. 14, 1898

William Shirley Jan. 22, 1818 - Oct. 14, 1898 Married Oct.13, 1842
Mary W. Beasley or (Beesley?) Mar. 12, 1822- April 1901

1. Harriey Eliza Sept. 4, 1843 - Mar.15, 1924
   M. Lile Berryhill July 7, 1867
2. William Morris Mar. 5. 1848 - May 25, 1921
   M. Amanda Ellis July 4, 1880
3. Charles Edward Dec. 6, 1852 -Oct. 14, 1937
   M. Huldah Beaker Jan. 1, 1893
4. Benjamin Thomas May 16, 1860 - July 29,1862

Charles Edward Dec. 6, 1852 - Oct. 14, 1937
Huldah Beaker June 13, 1863 - June 19, 1960

1. Raymond Oct.22, 1893 - Feb. 14, 1970
2. Mary Louise Nov. 26, 1895 - ?
3. Frank B. Jan. 7, 1899 -

This was the grandfather of my nephew's friend who lived in Pueblo, Colorado. They found this old Bible. Isn't this great? The address of the man who has the Bible is

Mr. W. Shirley
324 Sunset Lane
Pueblo, Colo. 81005

from Geraldine Shirley Brown
Box 743
Moriarity, N.M. 87035

July 10, 1981

(3) Martin b. Aug 20, 1811 Ky
d. Nov 5, 1865
(lived Hendricks Co. Ind 1850)
m. 1st Elizabeth Smith June 4, 1837 Hendricks Co. Ind
m. 2nd Malinda Shirley Apr 31 1842 Boone Co. Ind
m. 3rd Nancy J. Shirley _____ Hendricks Co. Ind
children:

A. Dicy b. March 1839 d May 1915
m. William Ray Wyant Dec 17 1855 Hendricks Co. Ind
children:
(a) James Martin Wyant
b. March 13, 1861 Boone Co
m. Missouri I. McCormick
(b) William Thomas Wyant
b. May 2, 1862 Boone Co Ind
m. Mary Olie Harrelson
(c) Frank Marion Wyant
b. Aug 15, 1865
m. Eliza Jane Hamilton
(d) Mary Ann Wyant
b. Oct 1872
m. Harvey Hamilton
(e) Nellie J. b. 1874
m. Joseph E. Campbell
(f) Albert b. Apr 1881 Sullivan Co. Missouri
m. Lola May Yardley
(g) John Henry Wyant b. 1886 Mo
m. Zelpha E. Wells
m. 2nd Anna P. Burkhart
m. 3rd Clara Hull

B. Levi b. ca. 1844
m. Nancy Ann Smith Mar 16, 1865 in Boone Co. Indiana
m. 2nd Nancy Jane Roberts July 21, 1870 Boone Co. Ind
m. 3rd Nancy Smith Sept 17, 1893 Boone Co. Indiana
m. 4th Elsie Ottinger March 8, 1916 Boone Co. Ind.

C. Hannah E. b. ca. 1847
m. John C. Dicke Sept 24, 1867 Boone Co. Indiana

D. Elijah b. ca. 1854
m. Annis Susan Bright Dec 24, 1873 Boone Co. Indiana

E. William Thomas b. ca. 1856
m. Margaret E Beamon Dec 22, 1878 Hendricks Co. Indiana

(4) John b. Sept 14, 1813 d Mar 16, 1844
m. Mary J. Hatchett

(5) Dicey b. April 15, 1815 d Nov 5, 1877
m. John Pedigo Dec 1834

(6) William b. Jan 22, 1818
d. Sept 14, 1898 Kiawatha, Kansas
m. Mary T. Beesly Oct 13, 1842
children:
A. Harriett E Aug 4, 1843
m. Lile Berryhill 1867
B. Wm Morris Mar 5, 1848
m. Armanda Ellis 1880
C. Charles E Dec 6 1852 Ill
m. Huldah A Bedker 1893
[This family lived in Hiawatha, Kansas and later went to Colorado].

6. Lettice b. ca. 1785 d July 1859
m. William Cullins 1813 Barren Co. Ky.

7. Sarah b. 1786 d Mar 18, 1831 Barren Co. Ky.
m. Isaac Dale, Jr. Sept 2, 1817
children:
(1) Purlina Dale b.ca. 1818
m. William Pedigo
children 1850 census...
A. Mary A 1839
B. Isaac M 1842
C. George W. 1843
D. John W. 1846
E. Sarah E. 1848
(2) Elizabeth Dale b. ca. 1824
(3) Sarah Dale b. ca. 1831
[This family lived Barren Co. Hart Co. and Metcalf Co. Ky and Ray Co. Mo].

8. Elijah b Oct 1, 1777 d 1807

9. Fannie b. Oct 1788

[We would apreciate any additional information on this line of Shirleys. DO ANY OF YOU HAVE THE INFO ON THOMAS SHIRLEY b.17__ WAR RECORDS???].

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MARRIAGES IN MADISON CO KY

Betsey m. Wm Johnson ?May 15, 1822
Nancy m. Frank Travis Nov 7, 1795
Sallie m. Philip Phelps Mar 22, 1804
Charles D. m. Susan C. Thomas Oct 30, 1826 (sign. Samuel Thomas)
Polly m. Honathon Bullock Feb 17,1824
Susannah m. Benj. Proctor Mar 8, 1787

MARRIAGES METCALF CO KY

Benj. m. Kate Hord Jan 9, 1861
Merryman m. Laurah E. Grinstead Dec 18, 1867
W.H. m. Annie Love Dec 22, 1869

MARRIAGES MUHLENBERG CO KY

Urier m. Unity Wells July 17, 1814
William m. Polly Shepard Sept 22,1814

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THOMAS SHIRLEY b. 1746 and died _____1830 Barren Co. Ky. He married Mary "MOLLIE" Grubbs. May 7, 1770

Thomas came from Prince William County, Va. He was in Abbeville Co. South Carolina before coming to Harrison Co. and Scott Co. (adjoining counties), Kentucky.

Treasury Warrant #6917 is granted to Thomas Shearly and Dan Neale ___of Robert Johnston and George Newman a certain tract or parcel of land containing five hundred acres bearing date of December 9, 1794 lying and being in Scott Co. on the waters of Raven Creek.

In 1798 they were in Barren Co. Ky. Thomas and Mollie helped organize the Dripping Springs Baptist church there in Wisdom.

They built a house which stood until 1885 when it was destroyed by fire.

Thomas and Mollie are buried in two graves near where the house stood. Their graves have rectangular stones but no dates are visible.

children:

1. Richard b. Feb 22, 1771 d. 1846
   m. Nancy Green
   They had a large plantation in Barrens. The land adjoined that of his father. The house was a large 4 storied brick structure having a full basement, main floor, upstairs and attic that went over the entire house. In each end there was a design made of light colored and dark colored bricks, contrasting with the red of the main wall. A great crack came in one of the walls which made it necessary to wreck the house.

   In the early days, the first stage to run through this part of the country made a regular stop at the Richard Shirley plantation. The story told was about great stacks of dried pies that were kept ready to serve the travelers and of the great beauty of their youngest daughter, Fanny.

   children:

   (1) James b. 1804 Ky.
   m. Mary Shirley (dau of Robert and Elizabeth Shirley. Robert being son of James b. 17___and Mary, Elizabeth being dau. of Thomas and Mollie Grubbs Shirley) *[I think this would be double first cousins].* (Barren Co. Ky)
   children: (in 1850 census)
   A. Martha E. b. ca. 1828 Ky.
   B. Albert E. b. ca. 1831 Ky.
   C. Robert L. b. ca. 1833 Ky.
   D. Lucinda b. ca. 1839 Ky.
   E. Mary J. b. ca. 1841 Ky.
   F. Richard b. ca. 1845 Ky.

   (2) Henry b. ____d. June 30, 1855 *[grandfather of James Henderson Shirley...see cover of April '79 NEWS].*

   (3) Gabriel Green "Gabe" d. bef 1846
   (4) George (need info)
   (5) Thomas (need info)
   (6) Reuben b.ca. 1798 Ky.
   m. Lettitia Shirley (dau of Robert and Elizabeth Shirley *[double first cousins?].*
   More info needed
   (7) Sarah b. ca. (need info)
   m. John Reed
   (8) Elizabeth "Fanny" b. ca.____
   m. Alexander Thomas (son of Presly N. Thomas and Malinda Shirley, dau. of James b. 17___ and Mary). *Fanny and Alexander 2nd cousins?*

2. Elizabeth b. May 1782 d. 1830
   m. Robert Shirley (son of James b.17__ and Mary *[1st cousins...see children under Robert Shirley which can be found in the James b. 17__ article]*

3. William b. March 15, 1773 d. 1833
   (didn't marry)

4. Nancy b. Nov 1, 1779
   m. Thomas Smith and are living in Hendricks Co. Ind in 1855.(need info).

5. Thomas, Jr. b. June 15, 1775
   d. Apr 9, 1851
   m. Hannah Dale b. June 1779 *(sister of*
   d. Jan 20, 1859 *Reuben Dale*
   children: *m Sally Gill)*
   (1). Elijah b. Mar 7, 1803 d Apr 1860
   m. Mary "Polly" Harbison June 12, 1828 *[see p. 8 April '81 NEWS]*
   (2) Levi b Jan 7, 1806 d Aug 7, 1833
   m. Nancy Navham 1832

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Thomas b. ca. 1740, d. 1835 in Barren Co., Kentucky.
m. Mary "Mollie" Grubbs b.____ d. Oct. 8, 1846. She was of Dutch descent. Her brother, Hensley Grubbs, served in the war with Thomas. Thomas and Mollie came from Prince William Co., Va. They were in Scott Co/ Harrison Co., Ky in 1796 and in Barren Co., Ky. in 1799. In Harrison Co. deed book # 19, page 303, Sept. 13, 1843, mentions Richard, Thomas, James or Jane, Mary and Lettice Shirley, Lettice Cullens and William Cullens. Thomas and his brother James were early pioneers of Barren Co., Ky. They took up grants of land in payment for their service in the American Revolution.

children

1. Richard b. ca. 1770, d. 1846 m. Nancy Green. She was born in Va. Her mother was Sarah Green who paid taxes in Prince William Co., Va. in 1782-1787, and she made her will in Abbeyville Co., S.C. about 1820.
2. Elizabeth b.____ d. ca. 1830, m. Robert Shirley (1st cousins)
3. William b. ca. 1770/1780 d. 1840 unmarried.
4. Nancy b.___ d.___ m. Thomas Smith. They were living Hendricks Co., Ind. in 1855.
5. Thomas b. 1775, d. 1851, m. Hannah Dale
6. Lettice b.___ d. 1859, m. William Cullens
7. Sarah b.___ d. Mar. 18, 1831, Barren Co., Ky. m. Isaac Dale, Jr. Sept. 2, 1817 by Rev. Daniel Shirley. Isaac Dale was attorney recorded in Harrison Co., Ky. deed book for Robert and Elizabeth Shirley.

In 1798 Thomas Shirley, with Daniel Neale, purchased 2 treasury warrents for a total of 1000 acres in Scott Co., Ky. This land is located now in Harrison Co., Ky. as Harrison Co. was formed from Bourbon & Scott Counties in 1793. The land was sold by the heirs of Thomas, Sr. in 1842/43.

Checking Grubbs data in Ethel Updike's book, I see the Grubbs family lived in Augusta Co. and in Fauquir Co., Va in 1762, and in 1769 living in Prince William Co., Va. James Grubbs died in Barren Co., Ky and it was stated he was born in Culpeper Co., Va. The Shirleys lived in the same counties, and the Grubbs and Shirleys intermarried.

Eliz. b. May - 1782
d. 1830 - 35
m. Daniel Price (2nd.)

Wm Shirley Bible - 1842

William - considered wealthy

Letitia b. C. 1785
d. 1859 - had 5 chn

Isaac Dale - bro. of Hannah

Thos. fought in "Colonial Wars" - "foot Soldier" in 1756 Prince Wm Co. Va (JHY)

(8)

Thomas Shirley Sr. and Daniel Neale had Two Treasury Warrants 500 A. each Warrant, 1798, Raven Creek Scott Co. Ky. (This Land actually in Harrison Co. Ky.)

Thomas Shirleys retained 600+ Acres of This Land until 1842 and 1843. It was then sold by his heirs.

Relationship of Thos. & Daniel unknown.

(1)

(3)

Thomas Shirley Sr.

Thomas Shirley b. ca. 1746 d. ca. 1835 Barren Co. Ky. m. Molly Grubbs b.? survived Thos. several yrs. d. Barren Co. Ky. Molly believed b. S.C. (No wills)
Issue: Order of birth unknown to me.

1. Richard b. ca. 1770 d. 1846 Barren Co., Ky. m. Nancy Green (dau. of Sarah Stark Green) b. ca. 1772 d. after 1850. Issue: Gabriel, Henry, James, Thomas, Reuben, Sarah, Frances, George, Elizabeth (Richard left will 1846 Barren Co.)
2. Nancy m. Thomas Smith (To Hendricks Co. Ind.)
3. Elizabeth m. Robert Shirley (You have their issue) Elizabeth m. 2nd Daniel Price (widower) had 1 known dau. Martha, Elizabeth & Daniel To Wis. or Iowa.
4. William never married
5. Thomas Jr. b. 1771 Va, d. 4-29-1857 Barren Co. Ky. m. Hannah Dale b. 1779 Va. Issue: Elijah, Martin, Dicey, John, Levi.
6. Lettice m. William Cullins
7. Sarah m. Isaac Dale Jr.

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Sources and Notes:

HUSBAND'S NAME Thomas SHIRLEY D3
Born 15 June 1775 At
Married At
Died 1851 At
Buried at
Residence(s)
Schools Attended
Occupation
Military Record
Church
Property
Father's Full Name Thomas SHIRLEY
Mother's Maiden Name Mary (Mollie) GRUBBS
Other wives

WIFE'S MAIDEN NAME Hannah DALE
Born 6 June 1779 At
Died 20 Jan 185[illegible] At
Buried at
Residence(s)
Schools Attended
Occupation
Father's Full Name Isaac DALE
Mother's Maiden Name Eleaner [illegible]
Other Husbands

CHILDREN:

Name Elijah SHIRLEY Born 7 Mar 1803 At
Married Mary A HARBISON Date 1828 At Barren Co, Ky
Died Apr 1865 At Buried

Name Levi SHIRLEY Born 1 Jan 1806 At
Married Date At
Died Aug 1833 At Buried

Name Martin SHIRLEY Born 20 Aug 1811 At
Married (1) Elizabeth SMITH Date 4 June 1837 At Hendricks Co IN
Died 1869 At Ind Buried

Name Born At
Married (2) Malinda SHIRLEY Date 31 Apr 1842 At Boone Co Ind
Died At Buried

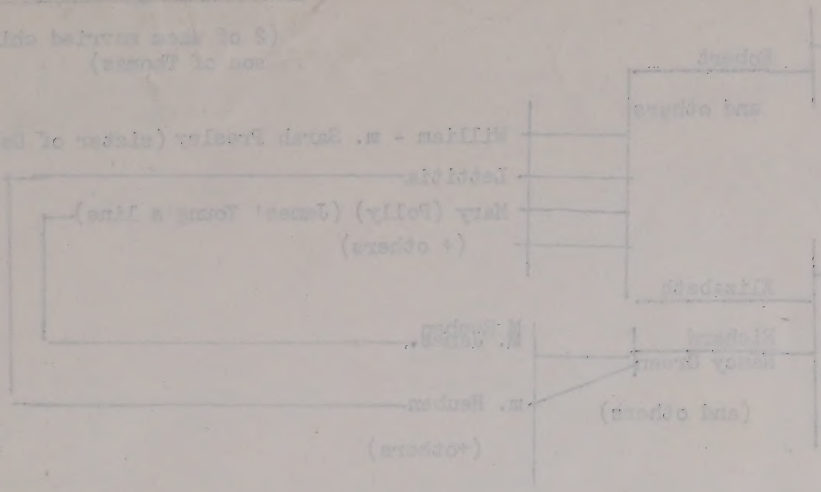
Name Born At
Married (3) Nancy J. SHIRLEY Date At Hendricks Co Ind
Died At Buried

Name John SHIRLEY Born 14 Sept 1813 At
Married Date At
Died 16 Mar 1844 At Buried

Name Dicey SHIRLEY Born 15 Apr 1815 At
Married John PEDIGO Date 1834 At Barren Co, Ky, F
Died 5 Nov 1877 At Buried

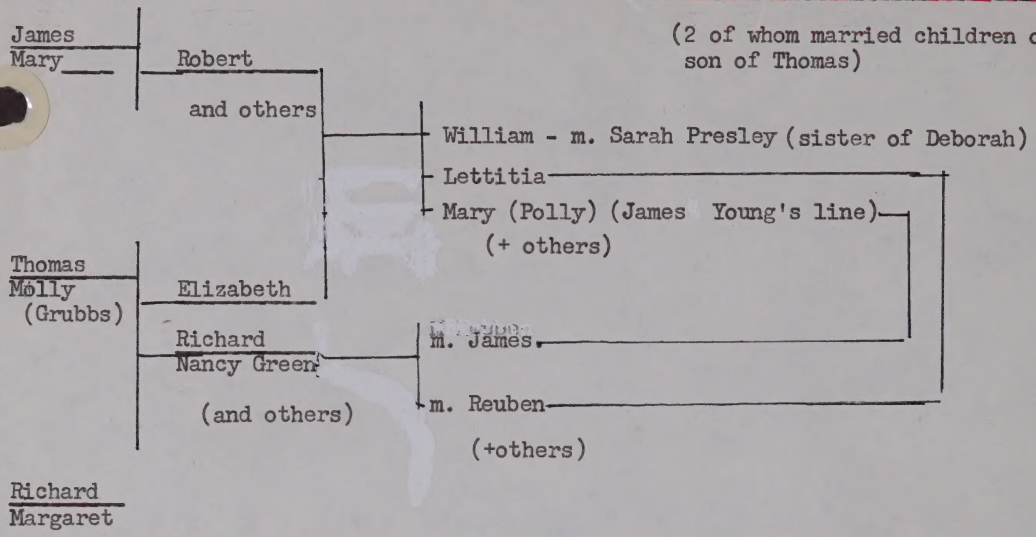
Name William SHIRLEY Born 22 Jan 1818 At
Married Mary BEESLEY Date 13 Oct 1842 At
Died 14 Oct 1878 At Buried

Name Born At
Married Date At



OTHER CHILDREN OF ROBERT AND ELIZABETH

(2 of whom married children of Richard, son of Thomas)



Family Group Record

H. Robert Shirley

m.

b.
d. 1813 - Barren Co., Ky.

W. Elizabeth Shirley

Elizabeth Davis
Wm R. Shirley Bible dated 1842 with Thos. Shirley line.

b. 5-[illegible]-1782
d. c 1830-35 - Barren Co., Ky.

P. James Shirley
Mary McMekin

P. Thomas Shirley (bro. of James)
Molly Grubbs

Children

* 1. James W.(II)	b. 7-30-1803 Barren Co. Ky.	d. 1893 Hendricks Co. Ind.	m. Deborah Presley 12-13-1827 Barren Co. (Metcalf)	Sisters
2. William	b. 1805 Barren Co.	d.	m. Sarah Presley 4-14-1828 Barren Co., Ky.	
3. Mary (Polly)	b. 1806 Barren Co.	d. 9-17-1858	m. James Shirley (2nd Cos.) 3-5-1825 son of Richard	Brothers
4. Letitia	b. 1810	d. after 1884 Monroe Co.(?) Ky.	m. Reuben Shirley (2nd Cos.) 12-13-1826 - son of Richard Monroe Co. Ky.	
5. Thomas	b. 1812	d. May, 1873 Suicide by hanging (Letter)	m. Martha Piper 1830	

Robert and Elizabeth were first cousins. William married the sister of Deborah, whose parents were Joseph Presley and Rebecca. William appears in Hendricks Co., Ind. tax records in 1841 and 1846. William and Sarah had six chilsren--were married by the same pastor (either Rev. Deweese or Ralph Petty of Blue Springs according to the Barren Co., Ky, marriage index). William and family may have moved on to Mo.

Mary married James the son of Richard (III) and Nancy Green, and gr-son of Thos.

Letitia--see copy of letter from Monroe Co., Ky. dated 1884 from Letitia (or "Lettice") to James (II) her brother then living in Hendricks Co., Ind. Reuben is also a son of Richard (III) and Nancy Green.

After Robert's death, Elizabeth remarried Daniel Price in 1818. They had one daughter - Martha who is said to have "gone to Wisconsin."

Elizabeth remarried 1818 - Daniel Price - had 1 dau. Martha "gone to Wisconsin"

RICHARD SHIRLEY b ____ d 1796 Scott Co Ky
m. Dorcas_____.
known children:

1. Sarah m. Henry Holsclaw
2. Ammey (not married in 1796)
3. Susannah b. Oct 1, 1769 Va.
   d. Apr 29, 1848 Boone Co. Ind.
   buried Old Mt Taber Cemetary.
   m. Benjamin Smith b. Sept 15, 1769
   d. Sept 5, 1853 bur Mt Taber Cem.
   children:
   (1) James Smith m. Jane Higdon
   (2) Menoah Smith m. July Ann___
   (3) Nancy Smith m. Erasmus Amos
   (4) Benj. Smith m. Lily Cox
   (5) Aaron Smith m. Frances Thomas
   (6) Sarah Smith m. Jesse Smith
   (7) Caleb Smith m. Sina Anderson
   [their son Wm Robt Smith m. Sarelda Crabb and her mother was Jamima Dale, dau of Reuben Dale and Sally Gill].
   (8) Joshua L Smith m. Dolly Helton
   (9) Susanne Smith m. Joel Smith
   (10)Milly Smith m. Joseph Helton
   (11)Eli Smith m. Eliza Anderson

Richard Shirley's estate settlement mentions the following names:

Benjamin Smith (son-in-law)
Ezekiel Shirley (nephew)
Thomas Shirley (brother)
Dorcas Shirley (widow)
James Shirley (brother)
George Moore
Henry Holsclaw (son-in-law)
Mathias Weldon
Michael Hammer
James Cullen
Amy Shirley (unmarried daughter)

Rev. Daniel Shirley must have been a son of James and Mary Shirley or Richard and Dorcas Shirley (page 6, April issue). Daniel m. Elizabeth Dale. He was a Baptist minister at Dripping Springs Baptist church. He must have died in 1826, as an indenture was made February 1826 naming his heirs: wife, Elizabeth; James H.; Moses; Lucinda; Martha Ann; and Carter T. Shirley.

Richard Shirley Jr. b _____
d. Apr 1831 Barren Co. Ky (committed suicide by jumping into a well).
m. Elizabeth Dale Aug 17, 1816 Barren Co. Ky. (dau of Reuben Dale and Sally Gill).
Children:

1. Daniel R. b July 8, 1817 Ky
   d. Apr 11, 1876 Harrison Co. Mo
   m. America E. Dale (dau of Wm. Dale and Jane "Jennie" Shirley... Jennie was the daughter of James Shirley b. 17___ and Mary, William Dale brother of Elizabeth Dale who married Richard. *Daniel and America would be 1st cousins*)
   Children:
   (1) Buena "Vista" b July 13, 1850
   m. Ezekiel B. Hobbs
   (2) Lemuel H. Sept 1851 Mo.
   d. Aug 31, 1921 Barry Co Mo
   m. Elizabeth Blevins
   Children:
   A. Daniel b ca. 1877 Mo.
   B. Margaret b. ca. 1878 Mo
   C. Lemuel L. b. Oct 1881 Harrison Co. Mo.
   m. Sally Lane in Washington Co. Arkansas
   D. Gertrude b Nov 1885 Kansas
   E. George b. Dec 1891 Mo
   (3) Mariah b. Oct 2, 1853
   (4) Reuben M. b. Sept 29, 1855
   (5) Sarah R. b. Aug 25, 1857
   (6) Elizabeth b. Mar 29, 1859
   (7) Mary A. b Dec 25, 1860
   (8) George W. b. Dec 12, 1862
   (9) Rutha J. b Aug 29, 1864
   (10)Wm. J. b Dec 31, 1866
   (11)infant son b&d July 17, 1868
2. Sarah
3. Mariah b. Oct 14, 1821 Barren Co Ky d July 31, 1890 m. Geo A Reeves
4. Jemima never married
5. America never married
6. Amy b Oct 17, 1829 d May 30, 1897 m. James J. Dale Mar 7, 1861
7. Martha
8. Reuben d. young
9. Lemuel d. young

[Richard Shirley, Jr. is thought to be a son of Richard who died in 1796 in Scott Co. Ky.].

Moses Shirley b. ca. 1780 North Carolina
d. Nov. 27, 1861 Illinois
married Nancy Dale Dec. 3, 1798 Warren County Kentucky.

Moses had a land grant in 1799 in Barren County Kentucky.

By 1820 Moses was listed in the 1820 census of White Co. Illinois. Hamilton Co was created from White Co. and this is the county they lived until their death.

CHILDREN

1. John
2. Mary m. Mr. Simms
3. Tilman b. Aug 11, 1800 d. May 17, 1864 Jefferson Co. Ill
   m. Louvicy_____.
   children:
   (1). William b. 1833 Ill.
   m. Johana McPherson
   (2). Eliz. b. 1842 Ill m. James Robinson
   (3). Nancy J.
   (4). James b. Oct 28, 1824 Moores Prairie Twp. Hamilton Co. Ill d.Oct 29, 1900
   m. 1st Susan Ward Feb 26, 1846 d 1866
   m. 2nd Martha A. Turner June 9, 1867
   m. 3rd Margret E. Ross Oct 26, 1876
   (5). Moses b. ca. 1829
4. Nancy m. John Hall Sept 1, 1824
5. Elizabeth m. Alfred Moore June 12, 1828
6. Isaac (Oct'81 p.10 & Jan '84 p.3 NEWS)
7. Eliza m. John Lane
8. Millie m. Henry Irwin Dec 24, 1833
9. Sarah m. Milton Cox Dec. 22, 1833
10. Moses b. June 2, 1812 Hart Co. Ky.
    m. Jerusia Hancock

children:

(1). Tamsey Jane b. Dec 10, 1830
(2). Daniel Campbell b. Sept 27, 1835 (see picture this page)
d. Nov 17, 1918 Hot Springs, S.D.
m. Sarah Anderson Apr 16, 1856
(she was dau. of Wm Anderson and Rebecca DALE, dau. of RUEBEN DALE and SALLY GILL).
children: (as listed in 1880 Harrison Co. Iowa census)
A. Alice b. Dec 20, 1859 Mo.
m. Joseph Gilchrist
B. Millord C. b. ca. 1863 Mo
C. Tillman b. ca. 1864 Mo.
D. Emma b. ca. 1867 Mo.
E. Celestia D. b. Nov 9,1870 Mo.
F. Sammy b. ca. 1876 Iowa
G. Bertie b. ca. 1878 Iowa

Children of Moses and Jerusia

(continued).....

(3). Artimissa b. Aug 17, 1837
m. Andrew Sheets (see photo on R.)
(4). Lee Francis b. Sept 1841 Iowa
(5). Fleming b. Nov 1843 d. young
(6). Wm. Riley b. May 13, 1845 Ill.
m. Elmira Yocum Feb 11, 1866
(7). John W. b. Aoril 24, 1848 Iowa
(8). Moses J. b. Mar 22, 1850 Iowa
m. Margaret Shirley (dau of Wilbern Shirley, son of Isaac)
(9). James I. b. July 16, 1852 Ill.
(10). Andrew James b. Sept 14, 1854
(11). Perry E. b. Nov 9, 1855 Ill.
(12). Nancy Ellis b. Aug 7, 1857/8
(13). Sarah A. b. Aug 12, 1860 Harrison Co. Mo.

From records of, Dorothy Hurley, Kenneth Shirley, Bonnie Caneva, Dorothy Foss and Helen Weiler.

SHIRLEYS' LAND GRANTS IN KY.

BARREN CO.

Moses	July 10, 1799	200 acres
James	July 25, 1799	200 acres
Thomas	July 20, 1799	200 acres
Thomas Jr.	Aug. 1799	200 acres
William	Aug. 16, 1799	200 acres
William	Aug. 1, 1799	200 acres
Richard	June 8, 1799	200 acres
Richard	Apr. 4, 1810	200 acres
Benjamin	Dec. 18, 1815	30 acres
Richard	Nov. 10, 1817	90 acres

ADAIR CO.

Richard	Nov. 22, 1804	200 acres
Thomas	Nov. 22, 1804	200 acres
John W.	July 20, 1806	200 acres

MUHLENBERRY CO.

Uriah	Nov. 8, 1815	400 acres

WARREN CO.

Benjamin	Jan. 4, 1813	400 acres

Information from Reubin Shirley's unpublished book.
Sent by L. Powers

Kentucky Shirleys

LAND WARRANTS

Daniel Shirley,	Barren Co.,	Dec. 12, 1812	200 acres
Richard Shirley,	Barren Co.,	April 9, 1823	100 acres
William Shirley,	Barren Co.,	April 29, 1826	50 acres
James Shirley,	Barren Co.,	May 5, 1830	50 acres
Richard Shirley,	Barren Co.,	Nov. 4, 1836	10 acres
Benjamin Shirley,	Warren Co.,	June 3, 1817	22 acres
John W. Shirley,	Adair Co.,	Sept. 6, 1819	50 acres
John W. Shirley,	Adair Co.,	April 1, 1825	50 acres
Joshua Shirley,	Bullett Co.,	May 29, 1833	97 acres
Joshua Shirley,	Bullett Co.,	May 22, 1833	146 acres
Thomas Shirley,	Monroe Co.,	Mar. 16, 1836	3 acres

ISAAC M. DALE

born 1751 North Farnham Parish, Richmond Co., Va., died 1820 Barren Co., Ky.
married 1st Eleanor
2nd Margaret Frazier 1801
3rd Margaret Gum 1808

children

1. Rueben M. Dale b. Mar. 17, 1774, d. October 2, 1862
m. Sally Gill May 14, 1797 Va.
(she was b. Mar. 23, 1773 Ky. Co., Va., d. Oct. 4, 1844 Barren Co.,Ky.

children

1) Elizabeth Dale b. July 30, 1799 d. 1860, m. Richard Shirley 1816 (cousin) (he died in 1860? - committed suicide by jumping into a well.)
2) Jemima "Jennie" Dale b. Apr. 14, 1802 Barren Co., Ky., d. Dec. 27, 1843 Barren Co., Ky.,
m. Richard M. Crabb (he b. 1798 d. 1860)
3) Abram Dale b. Nov. 2, 1804 Barren Co., Ky., d. Dec. 4, 1896
m. Martha Masters 1837
4) Edward Dale b. Oct. 27, 1807 Barren Co., Ky., d. Dec. 3, 1884
m. 1st Patsy Hays Dale Nov. 30, 1829, m. 2nd Sarah Wolcott 1831
5) Rebecca Dale b. Apr. 17, 1811 Barren Co., Ky., d. Apr. 27, 1857, m. William C. Anderson Jan. 27, 1831
6) Sally F. Dale b. Jan. 15, 1814
m. Samuel B. Anderson Oct. 15, 1832

2. Hannah Dale b. ca. 1778
m. Thomas Shirley

3. Nancy Dale b. ca. 1780
m. Moses Shirley
(they moved to Hamilton Co., Ill. in 1850 census)

4. William Dale b._____
m. Jennie Shirley

children

1) Nancy Dale m. Alexander Faulkner 1825
2) Parmelia Dale m. Robert Smith 1825
3) Isaac Dale
4) Lavina Dale
5) Millie Dale
6) Martha Dale
7) Jane Dale
8) Angyline Dale
9) Ezeckiel Dale
10) America E. Dale b. 1826 d. 1877, m. Daniel R. Shirley (cousin)

5. John Dale b. May 5, 1785
m. 1st Elizabeth Shirley Apr.2, 1804, m. 2nd Nancy Hall

6. Melly or Milly b._____
m. John? Gar? 1807

7. Elizabeth Dale b.ca. 1788
m. Nimrod Shirley (son of James b. ca. 1735 Barren Co. Ky.

8. Isaac m. Dale b.ca. 1796 Ky.
d. Mar. 5, 1867 Hart Co., Ky.
m. 1st Sarah Shirley Sept.2,1816 she d. Mar. 18, 1831
m. 2nd Parthenia Smith she d. 1839 Barren Co,Ky.
m. 3rd Elizabeth Barton they divorced by 1850
m. 4th Louisa Hensley ca. 1840 she d. Jan. 30, 1881 Metcalf Co., Ky.

KENTUCKY SHIRLEYS

Thomas Shirley
b. Mar. 21, 1761, Berkeley Parish, Spottsylvania Co., Virginia
d. April 17, 1820, Adair Co., Ky.
m. Molly Yates in 1788, Caroline Co., Va.
b. August 17, 1767, Fredericksburg, Va.
d. July 16, 1839, Adair Co., Ky.

Children

1. Martha Y. (Patsy)
b. Jan. 26, 1789, Spottsylvania Co., Va.
m. Samuel Hodges

2. Paul
b. Aug. 30, 1790, Spots Co., Va.
m. Sarah Caperton Gibson

3. William A.
b. May 29, 1792, Spots Co., Va.
m. H.H. Logan

4. Thomas W.
b. February 9, 1794, Spots Co., Va.
m. Patsey Montgomery

5. Frances S.
b. Oct. 6, 1796, Culpepper Co., Va.
m. Josiah C. Culp

6. Richard W.
b. April 25, 1798, Culpepper Co., Va.
m. Polly Yates

7. James A.
b. June 1, 1800, Culpepper Co., Va.
m. Frances Giddings

8. John M.
b. February 19, 1802, Culpepper Co., Va.
m. Mary C. Poole

9. George Yates
b. March 12, 1804, Culpepper Co., Va.
m. Evaline Garvin, m 2nd Emily Brown

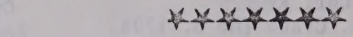
10. Mary Ann
b. December 18, 1805, Adair Co., Ky.
m. John Snoddy

11. Charles Michael
b. March 15, 1808, Adair Co., Ky.
m. Sarah Ann Henderson

Thomas Shirley, Private, in a company designated at various times as Captain Matthias Hite's Company, Capt. Richard Campbell's and Lieutenant & Capt. John Steed's Company, 8th Virginia Regiment, commanded by Colonel Abraham Bowman. He enlisted January 21, 1777 for the war. He fought in the battle of Cowpens, South Carolina. His name last appears on the company muster roll for the months of November and December, 1777 and January, February and March, 1778 -- dated Valley Forge April 17, 1778, with remark "On furlough" (Virginia County Record (8 Va. Reg. Am. Rev.) folder 178, 1-4-6, Spottsylvania County, Va.)

Thomas enlisted in the 8th Virginia Regiments when he was 15 years old. (His brother John also fought with the Virginia Troops.) He married Molly Yates in Caroline Co., Va. in 1788. They lived in Spottsylvania Co., Va. until about 1795 when they moved to Culpepper Co. Va. About 1805 he disposed of everything he had except about 60 of his best slaves who cut a road through the forest as Thomas traveled to Adair Co., Ky. Thomas predicted Adair Co., Ky. had a great future and he died there a very wealthy man. It appears he had his family under his thumb. His will is most interesting and business-like -- and lengthy.

Thomas' children and descendants lived in Barren Co., Ky.; Okla.; Texas; Mo. and Kansas. Some surnames of those marrying into this family are in addition to those already listed: Moody, Thomson Browning, Hatcher, Spindle, Stapp, Bailey, Gadberry, Sexton, and Bridges -- to name a few.



John Shirley (brother of Thomas)
b. April 1760, Berkeley Parish, Spottsylvania Co., Va.
d. March 1840, Adair Co., Ky.
m. Frances G. Yates, Nov. 25, 1782
b. 1759, Caroline Co., Va.
d. Sept. 22, 1843, Adair Co., Ky.

Children

1. Nancy W.
b. ca. 1783
m. 1st Thomas Coleman, Dec. 27, 1804
m. 2nd Francis A. Henry, Jan. 11, 1829

2. George Yates
b. ca. 1785
m. Pamela Coleman, December 18, 1807

3. Col. John Warfield
b. December 28, 1787
m. Patsy Young, January 26, 1809

4. Polly E.
b. ca. 1789
m. Edmund Rogers, January 27, 1809

5. Betsey W.
b. ca. 1792
m. Nimrod Bailey, November 18, 1819

6. Benjamin W.
b. October 22, 1797

(3) Martin b. Aug 20, 1811 Ky
d. Nov 5, 1865
(lived Hendricks Co. Ind 1850)
m. 1st Elizabeth Smith June 4, 1837 Hendricks Co. Ind
m. 2nd Malinda Shirley Apr 31 1842 Boone Co. Ind
m. 3rd Nancy J. Shirley
_____Hendricks Co. Ind
children:

A. Dicy b. March 1839 d May 1915
m. William Ray Wyant Dec 17 1855 Hendricks Co. Ind
children:
(a) James Martin Wyant
b. March 13, 1861 Boone Co
m. Missouri I. McCormick
(b) William Thomas Wyant
b. May 2, 1862 Boone Co Ind
m. Mary Olie Harrelson
(c) Frank Marion Wyant
b. Aug 15, 1865
m. Eliza Jane Hamilton
(d) Mary Ann Wyant
b. Oct 1872
m. Harvey Hamilton
(e) Nellie J. b. 1874
m. Joseph E. Campbell
(f) Albert b. Apr 1881 Sullivan Co. Missouri
m. Lola May Yardley
(g) John Henry Wyant b. 1886 Mo
m. Zelpha E. Wells
m. 2nd Anna P. Burkhart
m. 3rd Clara Hull

B. Levi b. ca. 1844
m. Nancy Ann Smith Mar 16, 1865 in Boone Co. Indiana
m. 2nd Nancy Jane Roberts July 21, 1870 Boone Co. Ind
m. 3rd Nancy Smith Sept 17, 1893 Boone Co. Indiana
m. 4th Elsie Ottinger March 8, 1916 Boone Co. Ind.

C. Hannah E. b. ca. 1847
m. John C. Dicke Sept 24, 1867 Boone Co. Indiana

D. Elijah b. ca. 1854
m. Annis Susan Bright Dec 24, 1873 Boone Co. Indiana

E. William Thomas b. ca. 1856
m. Margaret E Beamon Dec 22, 1878 Hendricks Co. Indiana

(4) John b. Sept 14, 1813 d Mar 16, 1844
m. Mary J. Hatchett

(5) Dicey b. April 15, 1815 d Nov 5, 1877
m. John Pedigo Dec 1834

(6) William b. Jan 22, 1818
d. Sept 14, 1898 Kiawatha, Kansas
m. Mary T. Beesly Oct 13, 1842
children:

A. Harriett E Aug 4, 1843
m. Lile Berryhill 1867

B. Wm Morris Mar 5, 1848
m. Armanda Ellis 1880

C. Charles E Dec 6 1852 Ill
m. Huldah A Bedker 1893

[This family lived in Hiawatha, Kansas and later went to Colorado].

6. Lettice b. ca. 1785 d July 1859
m. William Cullins 1813 Barren Co. Ky.

7. Sarah b. 1786 d Mar 18, 1831 Barren Co. Ky.
m. Isaac Dale, Jr. Sept 2, 1817
children:
(1) Purlina Dale b.ca. 1818
m. William Pedigo
children 1850 census...
A. Mary A 1839
B. Isaac M 1842
C. George W. 1843
D. John W. 1846
E. Sarah E. 1848
(2) Elizabeth Dale b. ca. 1824
(3) Sarah Dale b. ca. 1831

[This family lived Barren Co. Hart Co. and Metcalf Co. Ky and Ray Co. Mo].

8. Elijah b Oct 1, 1777 d 1807
9. Fannie b. Oct 1788

[We would apreciate any additional information on this line of Shirleys. DO ANY OF YOU HAVE THE INFO ON THOMAS SHIRLEY b.17__ WAR RECORDS???].

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THOMAS SHIRLEY b. 17___and died _____1835 Barren Co. Ky. He married Mary "MOLLIE" Grubbs. May 7, 1770

Thomas came from Prince William County, Va. He was in Abbeville Co. South Carolina before coming to Harrison Co. and Scott Co. (adjoining counties), Kentucky.

Treasury Warrant #6917 is granted to Thomas Shearly and Dan Neale ___of Robert Johnston and George Newman a certain tract or parcel of land containing five hundred acres bearing date of December 9, 1794 lying and being in Scott Co. on the waters of Raven Creek.

In 1798 they were in Barren Co. Ky. Thomas and Mollie helped organize the Dripping Springs Baptist church there in Wisdom.

They built a house which stood until 1885 when it was destroyed by fire.

Thomas and Mollie are buried in two graves near where the house stood. Their graves have rectangular stones but no dates are visible.

children:

1. Richard b. Feb 22, 1771 d. 1846
   m. Nancy Green
   They had a large plantation in Barrens. The land adjoined that of his father. The house was a large 4 storied brick structure having a full basement, main floor, upstairs and attic that went over the entire house. In each end there was a design made of light colored and dark colored bricks, contrasting with the red of the main wall. A great crack came in one of the walls which made it necessary to wreck the house.

   In the early days, the first stage to run through this part of the country made a regular stop at the Richard Shirley plantation. The story told was about great stacks of dried pies that were kept ready to serve the travelers and of the great beauty of their youngest daughter, Fanny.

   children:

   (1) James b. 1804 Ky.
   m. Mary Shirley (dau of Robert and Elizabeth Shirley. Robert being son of James b. 17___and Mary, Elizabeth being dau. of Thomas and Mollie Grubbs Shirley) *[I think this would be double first cousins].* (Barren Co. Ky)
   children: (in 1850 census)
   A. Martha E. b. ca. 1828 Ky.
   B. Albert E. b. ca. 1831 Ky.
   C. Robert L. b. ca. 1833 Ky.
   D. Lucinda b. ca. 1839 Ky.
   E. Mary J. b. ca. 1841 Ky.
   F. Richard b. ca. 1845 Ky.

   (2) Henry b. ____d. June 30, 1855 *[grandfather of James Henderson Shirley...see cover of April '79 NEWS].*

   (3) Gabriel Green "Gabe" d. bef 1846
   (4) George (need info)
   (5) Thomas (need info)
   (6) Reuben b.ca. 1798 Ky.
   m. Lettitia Shirley (dau of Robert and Elizabeth Shirley *[double first cousins?].*
   More info needed
   (7) Sarah b. ca. (need info)
   m. John Reed
   (8) Elizabeth "Fanny" b. ca.____
   m. Alexander Thomas (son of Presly N. Thomas and Malinda Shirley, dau. of James b. 17___ and Mary). *Fanny and Alexander 2nd cousins?*

2. Elizabeth b. May 1782 d. 1830
   m. Robert Shirley (son of James b.17__ and Mary *[1st cousins...see children under Robert Shirley which can be found in the James b. 17___article]*

3. William b. March 15, 1773 d. 1833
   (didn't marry)

4. Nancy b. Nov 1, 1779
   m. Thomas Smith and are living in Hendricks Co. Ind in 1855.(need info).

5. Thomas, Jr. b. June 15, 1775
   d. Apr 9, 1851
   m. Hannah Dale b. June 1779 *(sister of*
   d. Jan 20, 1859 *Reuben Dale*
   children: *m Sally Gill)*
   (1). Elijah b. Mar 7, 1803 d Apr 1860
   m. Mary "Polly" Harbison June 12, 1828 *[see p. 8 April '81 NEWS]*
   (2) Levi b Jan 7, 1806 d Aug 7, 1833
   m. Nancy Navham 1832

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E. William A. 1848 Ind d. Feb 8, 1890 Lebanon, Indiana
m. Sarah E. Willie Oct 8, 1868 Ind
children:
(a) Truviller H 1869
m. Lula M. Minnick
(b) Annie E. 1873 Ind
(c) Minnie 1879 Ind
m. Ernest E. Howard

(5) Maria
(6) Amelia
(7) James b. Feb 25, 1819 Scott Co Ky
d. Mar 21, 1902 Perry, Boone Co Ind
m. Eliz. Poyner Dec 4,
m. Leannah Smith Mar 25,
children:
A. Henry 1841 Ind d Sept 9, 1860
B. Parmelia Ann 1844 Ind
C. Edward 1853 d Dec 16, 1910 Ind
D. Peter C. Aug 17, 1868 Ind d 1925

(2.) Robert b. _____ d. 1813 Barren Co Ky
m. Eliz. Shirley (dau of Thomas & Mollie Shirley...Robt & Eliz were 1st cousins). Eliz. married 2nd Daniel Price and went to Wisconsin.

children:
(1) Mary b. 1806 d.Sept 17, 1858
m. James Shirley Mar 5, 1825(son of Richard and Nancy Shirley...Mary and James were double 2nd cousins).
(2) James b. July 30, 1803 d. 1893 Hendrick Co. Indiana
m. Deborah Presley Dec 13, 1817 Barren Co. Ky.
[See Jan '80 NEWS page 5]
children:
A. Robert
B. Rebecca
C. John N
D. Louisa F.
E. Francis Marion
F. George W.

(3) William b 1805 Barren Co. Ky
m. Sarah "Sally" Presley
[See Jan '80 NEWS page 6]
A. Lucinda 1829 m Franklin Carter
B. Joseph 1831 m. Sarah____
C. Rebecca 1836 m Wm Hunter
D. Samuel May 10, 1837 m Mahala Jane Williams
E. Sarah Ann
F. Evaline

(4) Thomas b 1812 Ky
m. Martha Piper July 15, 1830
children:
A. Robert (see picture p. 6)
[see picture p. 5, Apr '81 NEWS]
B. James b. 1834 Ky
C. Nimrod b. 1836 Ky
D. William b. 1839 Ky
E. Eliz. 1841 m. ____Lobb
F. Nancy 1843 m. ____Brooks
G. Newton 1848

(5) Letticia m. Reuben Shirley (son of Richard and Nancy Green Shirley).

3. Jane b. m. William Dale
children: (see p. 9 this issue)
(1) Nancy Dale m. Alexander Faulkner
(2) Parmelia Dale m. Robert Smith
(3) Isaac Dale
(4) Lavina Dale
(5) Millie Dale
(6) Martha Dale
(7) Jane Dale

4. Caleb b. 1788 S.C. d Oct 1864 Carroll Co. Mo.
m. Phoebe Gibbons Mar 24, 1819 in Barren Co. Ky (dau of Francis & Susannah Gibbons).
children:
(1) Mary J. 1821 Ky m. John Miller
(2) Malinda 1821 Ky m. Josiah Goodson
(3) John G. d. 1849 Cholorea Epid.
(4) Henry V. 1829 m. Mary Turnage
(5) Daniel 1828 m. Sarah Mayes
(6) Francis Marion Jan 9, 1831 Ind.
m. Miriam Smith
[see Apr '81 NEWS p. 2 & pictures]
(7) Luke 1839 m. Sarah States
(8) Dovey Ruth 1841 m. Daniel Chapman
(9) James S July 4, 1847 Carroll Co. Mo
m. Amanda J. Cochran

5. Malinda 1791 S.C. m. Presley N. Thomas Nov 28, 1807 Barren Co. Ky
children:
(1) Alexander Thomas m. Eliz Shirley
(2) Caleb Thomas 1810 m. Susannah Kelly
(3) Presley Thomas, Jr m Frances Huffman
(4) William Thomas m. Sookie Hayes
m. 2nd Katherine Bradley (widow)
(5) Snookie Thomas
(6) James Thomas
(7) Pamela Thomas m. Thomas E. Trent

6. Parmelia Feb 14, 1793 Barren Co. Ky
d. Nov 25, 1855
m. David Faulkner June 29, 1825 in Barren Co. Ky

7. Jesse b. 1800 Ky m. Jane Witt
children (1850 census)
(1) Amanda b. 1827 Tenn
(2) Virginia b 1835 Ill
(3) Thomas J b. 1837 Ill
(4) Caleb W. 1839 Ill

Material sent on this family from many members. Richard Vogt, Geraldine Brown Gordon Seyffert, Irene Scott and others. We have many members who descend from this group and the Thomas and Mollie Grubbs Shirley branch...brother of the first James in this article.

James Shirley b. ca. 17____.
d. July 23, 1801 Barren Co. Ky
m. Mary_____.
children as listed in deed 1799

1. Ezekiel b. ca. 1775 Va.
d. 1864 Perry, Boone Co. Ind
m. Dolly Shirley (dau of Arge Shirley).
children:
(1). Dickinson b. 1796 Scott Co. Ky
m. Elizabeth Hamrick
children: (known)
A. Caleb b, July 17, 1817 Ky.
d. 1876 Harrison, Boone Co Indiana
m. Mary (Dale) McReynolds July 17, 1837 Boone Co. Ind
m2nd Eliz. Kenady July 1859
children:
(a) James W. Apr 18, 1838
m. Sarah Bright
(b) Mathew E. 1840
m. Ann Weekly
(c) Henry S. 1842
m. Mary E. ____
(d) Jarret June 21, 1845
m. Harriett Hedge
(f) Emily 1847
m. Wm F. Proctor
(g) Eliza 1849
(h) Malinda 1849
(i) William S.
(j) Jesse B. 1852

B. Ezekiel b. 1822 Scott Co Ky
m. Juliann Dale Mar 12, 1842
children:
(a) Eliz. A 1843
(b) Melvina P. 1848
(c) William A 1848
m. Sarah Vidator 1869
(d) George C. 1851
m. Mary Clemments 1871
(e) Henry 1852
(f) Mary Jane 1854

C. Jesse B. 1831 Boone Co Ind
m. 1st Mary Etherington 1854
m. 2nd Sarah E.
children:
(a) Margaret E. 1858
m. Thomas L Roberts
(b) Clinton 1861
(c) Fielding T. 1862
m. 1st Mary A Belt
m 2nd Mary Huffman
(d) Henry E. 1867
m. Mary B. Long
(e) Harriett A 1870
(f) Levi E. 1877

D. Benjamin
E. Lydia C. 1834
F. Louisa 1838

(2). Elias b. 1798 Scott Co Ky
d. July 29, 1885 Perry, Boone Co Ind
m. Martha
children: (known)
A. Parmela b. 1828 Ky
B. Sarah A b. 1831 Ind
C. Hilda b. 1841 Ind
D. Jesse Luke 1842 Ind

(3) Elisha b. Feb 11, 1805 Scott Co Ky
d. Apr 8, 1889 Boone Co. Ind.
m. 1st____
m. 2nd Eliz. Ford Oct 24, 1841
children:
A. Fanny J 1831 Ind
B. Pamela 1837 Ind
C. Mary 1843 Ind
D. Clarinda 1845 Ind
E. Johnson 1847 Ind
F. Nancy A 1849 Ind
G. Eliza 1852 Ind
H. David 1859 Ind

(4) Benjamin b. Jan__1811 Scott Co Ky
d. Jan 1882 Boone Co. Indiana
m. Lydia A. Hamrick d. 1876
m. Jane Smith Jan 18, 1877
children: (known)
A. Delila 1831 Ind
B. Elspa Jane 1838 Ind
C. Trustin W. 1840 d. Sept 9, 1919
m. Mary E. Chambers Jan 19, 1860
children:
(a) Drusilla 1863
(b) Lewis A 1867 Ind
m. Mattie R. Caldwell
m. Ethel M Burns
(c) Emma B 1870
m. Thomas F. Caldwell
(d) Lydie M 1873
m. Edward J Padgett
(e) Mamie A 1878 Ind
m. Ara Dinsmore
(f) Bessie 1883
m. Orville Miller
(g) Lora T 1885 Ind
m. Audie Silver
D. Doctor J 1844 Ind
m. Margaret Randal Jan 30, 1868
children:
(a) Alva 1863
(b) Cora E 1870 Ind m. Geo Gleenor
(c) Della C 1872 m. Wm. Andis
(d) Effie 2876

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The Minute Book or Record book of the DRIPPING SPRINGS BAPTIST CHURCH, located in Metcalfe County, Kentucky on Highway #68, near Wisdom, was transcribed 1970. These two Minute Books cover the period from 1795 to 1850.

Mrs. Chas. H. Roden
208 Normandside Drive
Glasgow, Kentucky.

BARREN COUNTY, KENTUCKY
Deed Book K, p. 133

This Indenture made and entered tinto this 3rd day of April eighteen hundred and thirty three between WilliamPedigg & Elizabeth Pedigo his wife of the one part and Reuben Dale, Joseph reed and David Mize trustees of Dropping Spring Church of the other part both parties of the County of Barren and State of Kentucky witnesseth that the said Pedigo and wife for and in consideration of the sum of four dollars to them in hand paid the receipt wher of they hereby acknowledge have granted bargained and sold and by these presents do grant bargin sell and convey to the said Dale. Reed and Mize to them and the ir successor forever a certain tract of parcel of land situated lying and being in the County of Barren & state aforesaid, it being a part as so claimed by said Wm. Pedigo of Crogahns survey and purchased by said Pedigo of said Crogahn heirs, Franklin grvin agent containing two acres more or less whereon the said Dripping Spring Meeting house and school house now stands and bounded as follows: Begining at a corner stone north side of Glasgow road leading to Edmonton north 27 W 1 rod and three feet, from a double red Oak standing near the road thence N. 75 East 13 poles to a corner stone near the road, thence S. 54 E 12 poles and nine feet to a stone on South side of said road, thence S. 1 East 10 poles to a small turky oak and two pointers South 78 W 10 poles to a stone corner, n. 14 W. 24 poles 10 feet to the begining, to have and to hold to the said trustees and their successor forever and the said Pedigo and wife for themselves and their heirs do covenant and agree to warrant & defend, the said two acres more or less ofland, with all and singular the appertuainee thereto, belonging to the said trustees and thier successor forever against the claims of the said Pedigo & wife their herirs and as ign against the claim or claims of all and every person or persons whatsoever. In testimony whereof the said Pedigo and wife have hereunto set their hands and affixed their seals the day and year first al written, /s/ Wm. (X) Pedigo
Witnesseth: /s/ Elizabeth (X) Pedigo

CONSTITUTION OF MT. PISGAH CHURCH

First daughter of Dripping Spring.
Copiedfrom p. 71 of the First Church Book of Dripping Spring

Met onthe first Saturday in April 1809, after divine service 1st: a number of the brothern made excuses for neglecting to attend church meeting and took their seat. 2nd: Received Ann a servant of C. Hitchs by experence. 3rd: From a petition form the following bretheren viz: John & Ann Warder, Joseph & Esther Warder, Clement & Elizabeth Hitch, Joseph warder, Sarah Bowles, John & Elizabeth Bowles, Sibella Longdon William Warder, Walter & Polly Warder, Sarah & Polly Maddox, Nancy Settle, Jack (a servant of T. James), Baptist (serv. of J. Warder) Lucy (serv. of Sarah Bowles) letter of dismission and granted in order to form a constitution at a meeing house by John Warder & dismissed in order. Walter Warder, Clerk.

Fouth Sunday in April at a meeting at Brother John Warders dismissed Moses & Hannah Cox, Frederic & Lucy Smith. Elizabeth Settle, Sally Bailey, Elisha Dewese, Wm. Beard, Michael & Fanny Hall, Manuel (a serv. of Lucy Settle) in order to join the above constitution.

OLD CLIPPING RECITES SOME METCALFE HISTORY

Of interest to many of our readers, especially in Metcalfe County, will be a clipping found by Mrs. E. H. Gooden of this city, in an old Scrap Book of ther grandfater, the late Beesley Thomas. There are no clues to the paper the article was published in, or the date, but it was published in, or near the turn of the present century. The Book in which it was preserved was still older, refering to the "20 States in the Union". The article follows:

An Old Church

Mr. Editor: I saw in your paper a letter describing an old barn, if in order, I will give you a short history of an old Church. Old Drip ping Springs church was located in Barren County (now Metcalfe) about midway between Glasgow and Edmonton, and was built nearly a century ago, as is shown by its having been covered the second time with the shingles pegged on with wooden pegs. Doubless there are readers of this paper who have known shingle roofs to have been put on once and the shingles pegged on with pins, but if there is an octogenerian who ever knew it done a second time, I will give it up. This is not all, The house was recocvered the third time. The nails used this time were made in a blacksmith shop. It was recoverd the fourth and last time with common cut nails. This old antidiluyian castle was in dimensions about thirty-two by twenty-four feet--two stories high, with a gallery running all around inside. The house was built of hewed logs full length. Many of the logs were nearly two feet wide. Dear Readers do not think it strange that these logs were so large and long at that a ncient time, for it will not be astonishing to say that there are many trees now in that part of the world that will belt from eighteen to twenty feet. In this old Church house the iron-side Baptist organized their first church in ~~XXXX/XXX~~/ Barren County. It is the same old church in which the old hardside and united Baptist split, and the united Baptist organized their first Church. Do not think dear readers that I am giving you a story of the Joe Malhattan speices, for such is not the case, for I know whereof I write---tear down and remove and the church at that place together with Renick Lodge, Free and Accepted Masons, to erect them a new temple, which I did in 1875 and in consequence I had the old ark to above facts ware revealed to me in letters of living gold.

/s/ W. E. Perry

Stephen Ratcliffe	elected	1829	served	31 years	
William Gooden	"				
Joseph Read					
William Gooden	"	1859	"	5	"
Isham B. Oldham	"	1864	"	4	"
M. W. Boykin	"	1868	"	8	"
W. M. Smith	"	1875	"	1	"
W. J. Bentin	"	1876	"	6	"
F. M. Anderson	"	1882	"	2	"
J. D. Clark	"	1884	"	30	"
Will Nickols	"	1914	"	15	"
Luther Pierce	"	1929	"	7	"
Otis Volunat	"	1936	"	1	"
Mattie Gilley	"	1937	and has completed 25 years.		

FROM VOL. I, p. 379 HISTORY OF KENTUCKY BAPTIST
by J. H. Spencer, 1885, indicated that Alexander McDugal was an active member in Dripping Springs Church soon after it was constituted.

Robert Stockton and Alexander McDugal were both distinguished preachers in their day. They were co-laborers for a short time in Dripping Springs Church. (early 1800's)

Alexander McDugal was a member of Dripping Springs Church early as September 1802, at which time he was sent by that church to aid in the ordination of Jacob Locke at Mt. Tabor in Barren County. Mt. Tabor was constituted November 5, 1798.

Alexander MC Dugal was born in Dublin, Ireland, in the year 1739. He married Hannah Dove in Welmington, North Carolina.

The early records show that a good many families had slaves and the servants attended church with their master.

DRIPPING SPRINGS

Dripping Spring United Baptist Church was constituted February 3rd 1798 and bor thename Sinks of Beaver Creek until September 1798 when the church met and selected the spot to build a meeting house. The spot being choosen near a spring that dripped from a large rock, they canged the name to Dripping Spring. The following is a description of the first house which was built about 1800 of hewn logs on an old fashioned plan. It had one door in the end and one in the side. A stand was built on one side about three feat high, with a small window back of it. The building was about a story and a half high with what they called a gallery above with seats for the men to occupy when the house was crowded below. All nails were wrought and not many of them at that. The borad roof was put on with black Walnut pins.

In summer of 1874 the church built a new house, practically all of yellow poplar bumber hand dressed. This building was two stories high. The Renick Lodge occupied the second story for many years. In the year of 1960 the church thought it best to build again and erected the present building and held its first worship service in thh new building the 1st Saturday night inNovember 1961. Bro. Joe Richey the pastor.

The following are the ministers that served as pastor, with date and time served:

Robert stockton, 1st pasotr called July 1800-served 24 years
Ralph Petty called Feb. 1825, served 26 years.
Thomas Dodson called 1851; served 4 years.
James Abston called 1855; served 5 years.
Ephriam Burtram called 1860; served 26 years.
J. M. Johnson called 1887; served 19 years.
Charley M. Page called 1906; served 3 years.
Tom Perdue called 1909; served 4 years.
Samuel Page called 1913; served 4 years.
Henry Perkins called 1917; served 1 year.
LoganBaldock called 1918 served 2 years.
George Atnip called 1920; served 4 years.
Tom Shults called 1924; served 1 year.
Carl Atnip called 1925; served 10 years.
Henry Morgan called1934; served 2 years.
Walter Church called 1936; served 6 months.
George Atnip called 1937; served 3 years.
Andrew McCauley called 1940; served 2 years.
Jim Blair called 1942; served 6 months.
W. F. Kingrey called 1943; served 3 years.
Joe Richey called 1946; served 5 years.
Hubert Renfroe called 1951; served 10 months.
Joe Richey called 1952; served 2 years.
Carl Jones called 1954; served 4 years.
Joe Richey called 1958; served 5 years.
Amos Ehrenshaw called 1963; and is serving at present.

The following have served as Clerk:

Robert Stockton	1st Clerk	served	4	years
EdwardGill	elected 1802	"	5	"
Walter Harder	" 1807	"	2	"
EdwardGill	" 1809	"	16	"
Lemuel Shockley	" 1825	"	3	"

1860 Hamilton County Ill Census

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	Alfred Moore	58 M.	S.C.
dau. of Moses	Elizabeth	52 F	Ky.
	Mary	17 F	Ill.
	Nancy H	16 F	"
	Alfred	13 M.	"
	Sarah	12 F	"
	Eliza	11 F	"
	Charles	10 M.	"
	Jaly Ann	7 F	"
	Geo. W.	2 M.	"
d. 1861	Moses Shirley	80 M.	S. Carolina
d. 1862	Nancy "	85 F.	" "

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	Reuben Shirley	48 M. farmer $600	Ill.
	Martha	44 F	Penn
	Moses	12 M	Ill.
	Nimrod	10 M	"
	Hester	8 F	"
	Sarah	6 F	"
	M. J.	1 F	"

1850 Hamilton Co Ill. Census

90-90-	Nimrod Shirley	53 M- Farmer	S. Carolina
	Elizabeth	50 F	Ky-
	Tilman	23 M-	Ill.
	Elizabeth	24 F	"
	Moses	17 M	"

Back in 1967 I had a lady in Hamilton Texas to read the Census records of Hamilton Co- for me. She sent the above on Nimrod. Later I bought the 1850 Census Hamilton County Ill- by Mr & Mrs Frank Rademacher. they left Nimrod. off their records. Dive found things like that to happen lots of times. Over in Alabama one of the best Genealogist left my James Lacy off her records ever time.

I have been told that a Tillman Shirley served as a Capt. in the Civil War.

1850 Hamilton Co- Census Illinois

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#32-32-	Rubin Shirley	35 M.	Laborer	Ky-
	Martha	32 F		Tenn.
	Lydia	10 F		Ill.
	Elizabeth	8 F		"
	Moses	2 M		"

Page 397 #96-96	Russell Shirley	28 M.	Laborer	Ill.
	Jenney A.	27 F		N. Carolina
	Mary	10 F		Ill.
	Elizabeth E.	8 F		"
	Wm. B.	7 M		"
Page 298	Parthina J.	2 F		"
	Sarah M.	1 F		"

#101-101	Moses Shirley	70 M.	Farmer	500	N. Carolina
	Nancy	76 F			Va.
	Julia A Cox	16 F			Ill.
	Albert R.	14 M			"
	Francis A	12 F			"
	Martha Lane	7 F			"

These are Grandchildren Sarah Cox had died, and I can't remember off hand about Martha Lane's Mother Eliza Shirley Lane

SARAH COX AND ELIZA LANE DAUS. OF MOSES.

1820 White Co. Tenn. Census

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		to 10	10 to 16	16 to 18	18 to 26	26 to 45	45 up
388- Moses Shirley	M	1	1	2	2	1	0
	F	5	1	1	1	1	0
388- Nimrod Shirley		2	0	0	0	1	0
	females	2	1	1	0	0	1

1830 Hamilton Co. Tenn. Census

	to 5	5 to 10	10 to 15	15 to 20	20 to 30	30 to 40	40 to 50	50 to 60	60 to 70	70 to 80	
238 Nimrod Shirley	2	2	1	0	0	0	1				Males
	0	0	1	0	0	1					Females
239 Moses Shirley	0	2	0	1	0	0	0	1			Males
	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	1			Females

1840 Hamilton Co Tenn Census.

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	to 5	5 to 10	10 to 15	15 to 20	20 to 30	30 to 40	40 to 50	50 to 60	60 to 70	70 to 80
4 Moses Shirley Sr	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	
	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	
5 Russell Shirley	0	0	0	1						
	1	0	0	1						
7 Rubin Shirley	0	0	0	0	1					
	1	0	0	1						
9 Nimrod Shirley	0	2	1	1	0	0	0	1		
	0	1	0	0	0	0	1			

I've been told Russell Shirley was a son of Nimrod. He married the oldest sister to my John Wright Allen - I dont know who Rubin belonged to.

Stray Kentucky Shirleys

1. Nimrod. m. Elizabeth Dale. (1788-1825) dau. Isaac (Sr.)
2. Elizabeth m. John Dale 4-2-1804 son Isaac (Sr.)
3. Delilah m. Andrew Boyd.
4. Lucinda unwed.
5. David b. 1783; d. 1823 m. Betsy Howell - 5 kids.
6. Moses m. Nancy Dale (Hamilton Co - 1850 census) (dau. Isaac Dale)
7. Richard (J.P.) m. Elizabeth Dale (dau Reuben Dale; gr. dau Isaac Sr.)
   Richard d. by jumping in a well Apr. 1831
   See p. 12 - Shirley News - 1985

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Mary Shirleys Will Barren Co. 1833 Mentions only "Beloved Son-in-Law" Pressly N. Thomas.

I understand Mary lived with dau. Malinda and Pressly a good number of years before her death. (I have read but do not have Mary's Will)

James Shirley is said to have served in the Revol. War.

Moses Shirley in White Co. Ill. 1820. Hamilton Co. Ill. 1825 and Census of Ill. 1830.

I am very interested in Isaac Shirley Ill. Census 1830. Isaac Shirley in Washington Co. Ky. Census 1820. Isaac Shirley served with my Gr. Gr. Grand Father William Shirley, War of 1812. (Relationship of Wm. & Isaac unknown)
Ky. Militia, Capt. Isaac Gray's Co. Col. Boswell's 10th Regiment, Gen. Green Clay's Brigade.

(3)

John C. and George.

I have worked long + hard on this group and still have work to do. Further search of Scott Co. Ky. Records will produce more info on William + Margaret and possibly others.

I would like to commend Florence Hodges, a very faithful correspondent, for S.C. info. Also James Howard Young of Edmonton, Ky. for help on the Barnen Co. Shinleys.

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William Shinley not found in this Church Record. I believe Wm. possibly preceeded this group to Ky, in 1789 Rev. Joseph Redding and family accompanied by several families moved to Ky,

Rev. Joseph Redding is found as an early minister at Great Crossing Baptist Church, Scott Co. Ky.

Long Lick Baptist Church Records Scott Co., Ky, 1805 mentions: Archibald Shearley, Arge Shearley, Edmund Shearley, Elizabeth Shearley, Frances Shearley and Susannah Shearley. Elder Joseph Redding.

Note: John Shinley Census Garrard Co. Ky, 1810 + 1820 had wife Susannah. John in Gallatin Co. Ky, 1830. Died Gallatin 1840. (I cannot connect John to this group.) John was a minister, performed marriages in Garrard + Gallatin. John had sons; Wiley or Miley,

VA. TAX LISTS 1782-1787

(1) James Shirley Prince William Co.
John Shirley Fauquier Co.
(2) Richard Shirley Prince William Co.
(3) Thomas Shirley Prince William Co.
(4) Archibill Shurley Prince William Co.
George Shurley Prince William Co.
(5) William Shurley Prince William Co.

Turkey Creek Baptist Church Records Abbeville or Laurens Co., S.C. 1785-1789, Church constituted by Joseph Redding 1-22-1785. Lists members Thomas Shirley, Margaret Shirley and Mary Shirley.
From list of members:
Archibald Shirley
James Shirley – Mary Shirley
Richard Shirley – Dorcas Shirley
Wm. not listed – Margaret Shirley
Thomas Shirley – Polly (Molly) Shirley
John Shirley – Elizabeth Shirley

Another Elizabeth Shirley listed also Lydia Shirley (Lydia unknown in Ky.). Elizabeth or Lydia possible wife of Archibald.

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Cont.d — Commonwealth vs Thos. Dickerson Constable Cont.d by Con.t

Summons (Lamb) — Ordered that Summons Issue vs Sally Lamb to appear at our next Court to shew cause if any she can why her Children Agnes, Phebe & Henry shall Not be bound out Apprentices according to Law

Settlement Paymaster 45th Reg.t — A Settlement with the Paymaster for the 45th Regiment, amounting to $93-56 cts. with a credit of $24. p.d by s.d Paymaster which is ordered to be filed &c

Sale of Coes Estate — A List of the Sales of the Estate of Rebeckah Coe dec.d returned & Ordered to be Recorded

Clerk to Bind — Ordered that the Clerk of this Court bind out to John Shirley four children of colour to wit Delia Month born Jan.y 3rd 1813 Mary Month born Jan.y 15th 1816 Margaret Month born Jan.y 17th 1818 and Micael Month born June the 8th 1820 The boys to be bound until they are twenty one years of age & the girls till they arrive at the age of eighteen The said Shirley to engage to educate & support said children as white persons that are bound out are required to be educated by Law.

Ordered that Edmund Rogers be taken as security for John Shirley in this warrant relative to said children

paid Comrs to settle a/c Smith — On motion Ordered that Daniel Curd George Musick Jesse Everett & Alanson Tigg or any three being first sworn do Settle & adjust the Accounts of Michael Smith Admr of John Smith dec.d & Report to Court

Edmund Rogers M. Polly Shirly
dau. of John Jr. & Frances (Yates) Shirley

1830 census--Barren Co., Kentucky

Name	Males										Females									
	und. 5	5-10	10-15	15-20	20-30	30-40	40-50	50-60	60-70	70-80	und. 5	5-10	10-15	15-20	20-30	30-40	40-50	50-60	60-70	70-80
p. 176																				
James Shirley	1		0	0	0	1					1		0	0	0	1				
William Shirley	1		0	0	0	1					1		0	0	0	1				
James H. Shirley	1		0	0	1	1					0		0	0	1	0				
Richard Shirley	1		1	0	0	1					0		0	0	0	1				
p. 177																				
William Shirley	0		1	0	0	1					2		0	0	1	1				
Elijah Shirley	0		0	0	0	1	0	0	1		0		0	0	0	1	0	0	0	
p. 178																				
Thomas Shirley											1		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Mariner Shirley	0		0	0	1	0	0	1												
Elisabeth Shirley	2		1	0	0	1					0		0	0	1	0	0	0	1	
p. 179																				
William A. Shirley	2		0	0	2	0					0		1	0	0	1	0	0	0	
Richard Shirley	1		0	0	3	0	1				0		0	1	0	2	0	0	1	

Note: We have the microfilms at the University Library for the Tennessee and Kentucky censuses for 1830. With Richard Shirley's project born 1790-1800, supporting my hypothesis. He may have been called Richard Jr. and that he was in fact

1830 census--Barren Co., Kentucky

Name	males: und. 5	5-10	10-15	15-20	20-30	30-40	40-50	50-60	60-70	70-80	80-90	females: und. 5	5-10	10-15	15-20	20-30	30-40	40-50	50-60	60-70	70-80
p. 176																					
James Shirley	1	0	0	0	1							1	1	0	0	1					
William Shirley	1	0	0	0	1							1	0	0	0	1					
James Shirley	1	0	0	1	1							0	0	0	0	1					
James H. Shirley	1	0	0	0	1							0	0	0	1						
Richard Shirley	1	1	1	0	0	1						2	2	2	0	1	1				
p. 177																					
William Shirley	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Elijah Shirley	0	0	1	0	1							1	0	0	0	1					
p. 178																					
Thomas Shirley	0	0	1	2	1	0	0	1				0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1		
Warner Shirley	2	1	0	0	0	1						1	2	0	0	0	1				
Elisabeth Shirley	2	0	1	0	2							0	1	0	1	0	0	1			
p. 179																					
William A. Shirley	2	0	0	0	0	1						1	1	0	0	1					
Richard Shirley	1	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	1			0	0	1	0	2	0	0	0	1	

Note: we have the microfilms at the University Library for the Tennessee and Kentucky censuses for 1830. I went through the one for Barren Co. last week and thought you might like it if you don't have it already. With Richard Shirley's material, I think we can know that the Richard on p. 176 of the census is Richard, Jr. and that he was in fact born 1790-1800, supporting my hypothesis. He may have been called Richard Jr. in the county records to distinguish him from the Richard on p. 179--not his father. Is this other Richard the son of Thomas and Mollie (Grubbs) Shirley? I figure that two of the James Shirleys on p. 176 are the son (who m. Deborah Presley) and son-in-law (who m. Mary) of Robert Shirley (son of James). William on p. 176 must be another of Robert's sons. I don't know who James H. Shirley is (~~unless~~ he is one of the James's mentioned above and one of them is not associated with the children of Robert). I assume William (p. 177) is the son of Thomas and that Thomas and Mollie are the older couple living in his household. Elijah (p. 177) must be the son of Thomas Jr. (son of Thomas and Mollie). Thomas (p. 178) is Thomas Jr. son of Thomas and Mollie--no doubt here since you sent me the Bible records of his children. Who is Warner?? Elisabeth (p. 178) must be the daughter of Thomas and Mollie and widow of her cousin Robert (son of James). Who is William A?

Anyone you want me to look for in the 1830 census of Kentucky or Tennessee?

From Guy Perry - Sept. 1981

Beth Co. Ky Census 1810 Elwood Shirley 1.8.13

Betsy Shirley (2)

1 m wed 16 16 wife 16

16 16-16

16 16-26

16 26-45

Edmund Shirley

3 m. sm. 16 16 26-45

1 m. 26-45

Ezekiel Shirley

3 m. sm. 16 16 sm. 16

1 m. 10-16 16 16-26

1 m. 26-45 16 26-45

Beth Co. Ky Census - 1830

Ezekiel

3 m sm 16 3 Enum 16

3 m 10-16 16 10-16

1 m. 46-50 26 16-26

16 26-45

Ezekiel & Edmund to Ohio c. 1830

Scott Co. Ky Census 1810 Elwood Shirley 1-6-79

Esther "Shirley" (?)

1 m und 10
1 F und. 10
1 F 10-16
1 F 16-26
1 F ov. 45

Edmund Shirley

3 m. un. 10
1 m. 26-45
1 F. 26-45

Ezekiel Shirley

3 m. un. 10
1 m. 10-16
1 m. 26-45
1 F. un. 10
1 F 16-26
1 F 26-45

Scott Co. Ky Census - 1820

Ezekiel

3 m un 10
3 m 10-16
1 m. ov. 45
3 f. und. 10
1 F. 10-16
2 F 16-26
1 F ov. 45

Ezekiel & Edmond to Ins. c. 1830

$$\begin{array}{r} 15 \\ \times\ 7 \\ \hline 105 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 15 \\ \times\ 8.5 \\ \hline 75 \\ 120 \\ \hline 127.5 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 15 \\ \hline 2\overline{)\,112} \\ 56 \end{array}$$

DEED NAMING HEIRS OF JAMES SHIRLEY (#480)
from James Howard Young 3-23-1979

J.H. Young, searching the Barren Co. Ky Courthouse, found a group of papers labeled ''unrecorded deeds.'' In these papers was a deed dated 1832, in which the heirs of James Shirley were selling James' original 200 acres of land to Presley N. and Malinda (Shirley) Thomas. It named the following as the heirs:

Jessie Shirley of Ill.	William and Jane Dale
Ezekiel Shirley of Ind.	Malinda Thomas
5 children of Robert Shirley dec.	
Caleb Shirley of Ind.	Permelia Faulkner

Can we accept his word about this document and what it says? Or do we need a copy? Perhaps Elwood has one--I'll write him about it. I think this should be added to the list of references after James #480.

And on the subject of James' references, what does the second reference mean? ''a James md. 'Mary McMekin' '' Where did that come from? I don't understand Mary McMekin in quotes.

In this same letter, J.H. Young says he believes Robert was older than Ezekiel for some reason.

RICHARD SHIRLEY (#2749) AND DORCAS _____
from Guy Perry III - 8-29-1981

1790 - Census shows Richard and 1 male over 10 yrs; 5 males under 10 yrs. old; 3 females which would be a wife and two of his three daughters. (Sarah was probably already married to Henry Holsclaw as the same census lists him with 2 males under 10 yrs. and 2 females--wife and daughter)

1792 - Dorcus Cullins was baptised into the Turkey Creek Baptist Church, Abbeyville, S.C.

1794 - ''Sister Shirley'' died

Undated - ''Dorcas Shirley'' signed the church oath.

1795 - Turkey Creek Church released Shirley group to go to Kentucky.

1796 - Richard Shirley died Scott Co, Ky. leaving widow Dorcas, three daughters and un-named heir(s)

IF - Richard's first wife died and he married Dorcas soon after, she could have had one of his children sometime 1794 - 1796. Richard Jr.?

BENJAMIN and SUSANNAH SMITH CHILDREN cont.

9. SUSANNA SMITH SMITH
   b. 2-15-1808, Ky.
   d. 1880, Hendricks Co., Ind.
   m. Joel Smith (#3365) 3-24-1828, Hendricks Co. Ind.

10. AMELIA (Milly) SMITH HELTON
   b. 3-15-1810, Ky.
   d. 1871, Vermillion Co., Ill.
   m. Joseph Helton 2-6-1826, Barren Co., Ky. (brother of Dolly who married Joshua Smith (#3354)

11. ELI SMITH
   b. 2-16-1812, Ky.
   d. 1-22-1881, Harrison Co., Mo.
   m. Eliza Ann (Lizann) Anderson

AARON (#3162) and FRANCES (3161) SMITH CHILDREN
from Richard Vogt research

1. DANIEL SMITH
   b. 11-17-1824, Ky.
   d. 3-28-1865, Hendricks Co., Ind.
   m. Leanna _____, 1-29-1847, Boone Co, Ind.
   Had 10 children

2. CALEB SMITH
   b. 8-10-1827, Ky.
   d. 12-8-1903, Boone Co., Ind.
   m. (1) Nancy Susan _____, 4-22-1847, Boone Co., Ind.
   Had 1 child (M)
   (2) Margaret Darnall 2-19-1855, Hendricks Co. Ind.
   Had children

3. ELY SMITH
   b. 3-4-1830, Ky.
   d. 5-21-1895, Boone Co, Ind.
   m. Patsy Ann (Martha) Kemper, 10-24-1850
   Had 9 children

4. MALINDA SUSAN SMITH
   b. 12-5-1832
   d. 2-17-1903, Hendricks Co, Ind.
   m. John Thomas Money 6-6-1850, Boone Co., Ind.
   had 8 children

5. LOUISA SMITH
   b. 6-10-1835, died before 1840

6. PERMELIA FRANCES SMITH TURPIN
   b. 5-28-1840
   d. 2-17-1908, Boone Co., Ind.
   m. Harvey Turpin 9-5-1867
   Had 6 children

7. PRESLEY THOMAS SMITH
   b. 6-9-1843
   d. 1-12-1916, Boone Co., Ind.
   m. Mary Ann McCoy 10-17-1864
   Had 6 children

8. WILLIAM J. (Willie) SMITH
   b. 5-28-1846
   d. 1854

9. LAURA BELLE SMITH
   b. 1-14-1849; d. before 1850 census

Richard Vogt research includes census 1820-1850, Ky. and Ind. Wills Boone Co. dtd. 1853 and 1877, John Turpin Family Bible, ''Early Life and Times in Boone Co.''by Harden

1. Joel Smith cont. Had 9 children
   William J. Smith was one of the nine
   m. (1) _____Haywood, 1853; Hendricks Co., Ind.
   (2) _____Holloway, 1866; Hendricks Co.
   (one of these wives was Mary E.)
2. Mariah Smith m. John Edwards 1819, Ky.
3. Lucinda Smith m. Nathaniel C. Edwards 1826, Ky.
4. Reuben Smith
   b. 12-25-1804, Ky.
   d. 1-8-1880, Boone Co., Ind.
   m. Malinda Turpin 1828, Marion Co., Ind.
5. William
6. Elizabeth Smith
7. Fannie Smith m. Richard Thornburg
8. Polly Smith m. David Presley (believed brother of Deborah #2833)
9. Mahala Ann Smith m. Elijah Smith
   d. as a young woman
   chn: Melinda Jane (and Thomas?)
10. Thomas? A Thomas listed, but whose child is unclear.

SUSANNAH SHIRLEY (#2747 p. 32) & BENJAMIN SMITH (#2764)
More facts about children--from Richard Vogt research

1. JAMES D. SMITH (#2840)
   b. 7-29-1790, S.C.
   d. 10-2-1876, Boone Co., Ind.
   m. (1) Nancy
   (b. 7-28-1798, Ky.; d. 8-1-1883, Boone Co.,Ind.)
   Had 9 children (8? and Jane's Eliz. makes 9?)
   (2?) Jane Higdon --had Elizabeth?
2. MENOAH SMITH (#3349)
   b. 11-22-1792, SC
   d. 1-?-1856, Boone Co, Ind.
   m. (1)
   (2) Julian Shirley 10-14-1834, Hendricks Co, Ind.
3. NANCY JANE SMITH AMOS (#3350)
   b. 1-20-1796, Ky.--poss. Barren Co.
   m. Erasmus Amos ca. 1813
4. BENJAMIN TAYLOR SMITH (#3351)
   b. 1-22-1798, Barren Co.(?), Ky.
   d. 1852, Hendricks Co.
   m. (1) Frances Goodwin, 1823, Barren Co., Ky.
   (2?) Lily Cox
5. AARON SMITH (#3162)
   b. 7-22-1800, Ky.
   d. 9-14-1877, Boone Co, Ind.
   m. 1823, Barren Co., Ky to F. Thomas (#3161)
   chn: see next list
6. SARAH (SALLY) SMITH (#3352)
   b. 4-10-1802, Ky.
   d. Boone Co, Ind.
   m. (1) Jesse Smith (#3362) Barren Co, Ky. 1820
   (he died 1841)
   (2) Elisha Bovee 1-27-1850, Boone Co., Ind.
7. CALEB SMITH (#3353)
   b. 4-16-1804, Ky.
   d. 8-27-1888, Harrison Co., Mo.
   m. S. Anderson 2-27-1823, Barren Co.,Ky.
8. JOSHUA SMITH (#3354, p. 37)
   b. 3-15-1806, Ky.
   m. Dolly Helton, 12-27-1828, Barren Co, Ky.

(List continued next page)

JAMES SHIRLEY (#2835, p. 1)
? ~~d. 2-14-1825~~ Which date? Richard (#2753, p.1) says in letter dated 1-14-1877 ''Farther died Jan. 24, 1875 with a cancer on his eye.''

Letters from Carrol Co., Mo. to James and Francis from Caleb Shirley (#2773) and family.

MARY JANE SHIRLEY MILLER #2908, p. 27
lived in Portland, Oregon after marriage. Prob. died there.
Children: Jasper, Caleb, Mary, and Charles

JOHN G. SHIRLEY (#2910, p. 27) d. 1849, Waverly, Mo.

MALINDA SHIRLEY GOODSON (#2909, p. 26)
probably twin of Mary Jane (#2908)
m. J. Goodson Jan. 1840, Carrol Co., Mo.
chldn: 1. Ellen Jane Goodson m. William Sherwood
2. Caleb S. Goodson m. Margaret McNown
3. Phoebe Ann Goodson m. Martin VanBuren Wright
4. Margaret Elizabeth Goodson m. John Travis Lyon of Adair Co, Ky.
5. Appolomia Goodson d. at 12 yrs. old
6. Martha Goodson m. William Impy

DANIEL SHIRLEY (#2911, p.27)
m. S. Mayes in Ray Co., Mo.
d. @ Ray Co. Mo.
chn: Virginia Frances; Emma Sophronia ''Frona''; Sebastian Cabot; Henrietta Theodocea; Mollie Jay; Leona Willard;

FRANCIS MARION SHIRLEY (#2913, p. 28)
m. M. Smith 2-26-1852 in Carrol Co. Mo.
chn: Emaline, Rufus, Caleb R. per your list.
(3045) (3046) (3049)
Names ''Leudin J.'' as Leander T. or F. (#3047, p.29)
Names ''Charles R.'' as Charles Lewis (#3048)

LUKE SHIRLEY (#2914, p. 28)
m. S.A. State at Carrol Co., Mo.
chn: Mattie, Eva, Nellie and Thomas

DOVEY RUTH SHIRLEY CHAPMAN (#2915, p. 29)
chn: Jennie Bell, Benjamin, and Eugene

JAMES S. SHIRLEY (#2916, p. 30)
m. after 1875, when he wrote letter about family.
Had large family

Letter from James Howard Young, received March, 1979
combined with data from research by Richard Vogt (RV)

NANCY SHIRLEY (#2757, p. 6)
m. Thomas Smith before coming to Barren Co., Ky 1799
probably Scott Co., Ky.--note birthday first child
d. after 1851 and before 1855. She sold interest in some property which once belonged to Robt. and Eliz. (#240 and #241) to James and Polly Shirley (#2834, #2835) in 1851.

chn: in order given in estate settlement--
i. Joel Smith (#3365)
b. 10-15-1799, Barren Co, Ky. (RV)
d. 4-28-1864, Hendricks Co, Ind. (RV)
m. Suzanne Smith Smith 3-24-1828, Hendricks Co.
(#3355--dau. Benjamin and Susannah Smith)

(list of these children cont. page 4)

Second Generation Disconnected Shirleys
J.H. Young thought in 1979 these people might be children of James (#480). If they fit on our list, I haven't found where yet.

1. Delilah Shirley m. Andrew Boyd 1808 and left Kentucky
2. Lucinda Shirley - never married
3. David Shirley m. Betsy Howell; had 5 chn.; d. 1823
4. Thomas m. Polly Carson

OLD LETTERS TO JAMES (2832) AND FRANCIS (2977) - 1862-1884 from Kentucky and Missouri kin, found in old family Bible; and interpreted by J.H.Young letter 8-2-1979

1. From Betty to James - undated
2. From Letitia (2836) and Richard (2925) dated 1-24-1877
3. From Letitia to James dated 3-22-1884; appears to be in John Morton's handwriting.
4. From John Morton, dated 6-18-1873

LETITIA (Lettice, Lettie) SHIRLEY (#2836)
b. ca. 1810
d. after 3-22-1884
m. REUBEN SHIRLEY #2837 -- d. before 6-18-1873 (when John Morton wrote Aunt Lettis and Betty "is living to geather jiste by thar selves.")
chn: 1. Elizabeth (Betty) Shirley Nichols
m. (1) Will
(2) Jack Nichols------, school teacher
2. Nancy Green Shirley Payne (namesake of #2761)
m. Absolom Payne 0 0 0
3. James Robert
d. ca.1877 (Richard wrote that Jim Shirley was not well and "the doctor gave him up for to die." Letitia said it was "dispepsy."

Appears none of these had children.

LETTER FROM SARAH ANN AND EVALINE SHIRLEY (3020 AND 3021) - to Francis Shirley

Chn of Wm & Sarah (Peasley) Shirley

EVALINE SHIRLEY (#3021) b. 4-10-1849. "Today is my birthday. I am thirteen years old."

SARAH ANN SHIRLEY (#3020) was still in school but sounded more grown up --- b. ca. 1846

A WILD STORY FROM J.H. YOUNG

RICHARD SHIRLEY (#2925)
d. 1928 in Charlestown, Ind. --Clark Co. ~~1898~~? 1928
chn: 1. Hadie (M) --lvd. Charlestown
2. Abie (M) --lvd. Charlestown
3. Polly, who was murdered along with two of her children (sons) by her husband. He then set the house on fire and shot himself--burned them all up. J.H. Young remembers this man--looked like the typical Kentucky Colonel.

JAMES MORTON --we have two or three letters written by this man. J.H.Young says he married one of Patsy (Piper) and Thomas' (#2838) daughters. He is not on our list. He could be the first husband of NANCY (#3293, p. 11) SHIRLEY BROOKS

Would have to be Nancy, since he mentions the other daughter "Betty Lob" (Lobb, #3292)--her "youngest boy came down with the spinal manigedew" Buried the Lobb boy 21 days later on 5-8-1873.

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Information from James Howard Young letter 1-1-79 to WLS

MARTHA E. SHIRLEY (#2920, p.7)
b. ca. 1826 according to James Howard Young
or 1828 according to SN.(II)4:10)
and 1850 Census; but not born 1834.

ALBERT E. (#2922 p.7)
died as a young man

ROBERT LEWIS SHIRLEY (#2921 p.7)
b. 1834
m. (1) Melissa Glass - (''Glass'' - J.H.Young)
- had Melissa, who was raised by Mary Jane #2924
after Melissa, the mother, died.
(2) Elizabeth Erwin - had 4 children

LUCINDA SHIRLEY (#2923, p.7)
b. 1838 or '39
m. James M. Shive (not ''Shives'' according to J.H.Young
Had 4 children

MARY JANE SHIRLEY (#2924, p.8)
m. James M. Shive after Lucinda's (#2923) death.

RICHARD SHIRLEY (#2925, p.8)
m. Eliza Pulliam ''late in life'' (J.H. Young)
had 3 children

JAMES SHIRLEY (#2835, p.1)
b. 1804 (no''ca'' about it - J.H. Young)

HENRY SHIRLEY (#2850, p.2)
b. 1799
m. Sophia Read; had 2 daughters

GABRIEL SHIRLEY (#2851, p.2)
never married; died as a young man

GEORGE SHIRLEY (#2852 p.2)
b. 1809; never married

THOMAS SHIRLEY (#2853, P.2)
b. 1796
m.Jennie Bowles
d. winter 1876 - according to old letter in our possesion,
written by a nephew Richard #2925 Shirley, dated
1-7-1877, to James Shirley (#2832), says ''Uncle Thomas
has been dead about 12 months.'' J.H. Young identified
the writer in a letter to us, written Aug., 1979.

Children: 1. Zacharia Shirley
2. Thomas Jefferson (Jeff) Shirley, who died
in the fall of 1876, according to same letter.

SALLY SHIRLEY (#2854, p.3)
b. 1811 - had 5 children

ELIZABETH SHIRLEY (#2855, p.3)
b. 1815 - had 4 children
Was not the great beauty of the family, according to
James Howard Young.

FRANCES SHIRLEY - NOT LISTED
b. 1807 - never married, was the REAL ''great beauty!''

SARAH SHIRLEY DALE (#2759, p. 11)
had 5 children according to J.H. Young

JAMES SHIRLEY (#480, p.12)
Add to sources of information, NSDAR Nat'l No. 636948,
application to DAR for membership by Elizabeth Bistline,
proving Mary McMekin is the wife of James Shirley.

Betty Shirley has been sitting on the fence about this.
Some Ass'n members are upset, because it raises questions
about Ezekiel's mother, and possibly Robert's. Mary is no
doubt his second wife. But DAR is too sticky about proof
to be ignored. They check and double check. It's about as
close to the truth as we can get.

SHIRLEY, Norman to Malinda Collier, Dec. 14, 1846, Sur: J. W. Beauchamp. Md. Dec. 15, 1846 by J. B. Robertson.

SHIRLEY, Reubin to Lettitica Shirley, Dec. 4, 1826, Sur: James Shirley. Md. Dec. 13, 1826 by Ralph Petty.

SHIRLEY, Richard to Elizabeth Dale, no date on bond, Sur: Reuben Dale, personal consent of father Reuben Dale. Md. Aug. 17, 1816 by Daniel Shirley.

SHIRLEY, Richard W. to Polly Yates, Nov. 24, 1817, Sur: J. C. Culp, consent father George Yates, Wit. J. C. Culp, consent father Thomas Shirley. Md. Nov. 25, 1817 by Zacheus Quisenberry.

SHIRLEY, ~~Robert~~ Wm to Sarah Pressly, md. April 1, 1828 by Ralph Petty.

SHIRLEY, Robert to Sarah A. Whitney, July 8, 1839, Sur: Thomas J. Whitney, consent father Thomas Whitney, Wit. Edward Holder, Thomas J. Whitney.

SHIRLEY, Thomas to Martha Piper, July 12, 1830, Sur: James Gooden, consent James Shirley. Md. July 15, 1830 by Thomas Scrivener.

SHIRLEY, Thomas W. to Patsey Montgomery, md. Nov. 28, 1819 by Zacheus Quisenberry.

SHIRLEY, William to Sarah Presley, March 29, 1828, Sur: Joseph Presley. Md. April 1, 1828 by Ralph Petty. See above entry "Robert Shirley to Sarah Pressly."

SHIRLEY, William A. to Harriet H. Logan, Sept. 23, 1820, Sur: John Snoddy. Md. Tues. Sept. 26, 1820 by William Warder.

HODGES, Samuel to Patsy Y. Shirley, Nov. 16, 1807, Sur: Thomas Shirley. Md. Nov. 17, 1807 by William Hiser.

HODGES, Samuel H. to Margaret S. Morton, Feb. 9, 1848, Sur: Benjamin R. Clark, consent John M. Shirley "my adopted daughter Margaret Shirley Morton", Wit. Benjamin Clark, George M. K. Kendall. Md. Feb. 10, 1848 by William Neal.

TAKEN FROM: Marriage Records of Barren Co. Kentucky 1799-1849 "The First Fifty Years" by Martha Powell Reneau. (1984)

Martha began copying marriage bonds fourteen years ago. She did not use the marriage index in the clerk's office. Many of the marriage bonds/consents are missing. Even now, some have vanished since I began copying them.

A friend xeroxed the minister's return book, and from it I learned many of the actual marriage dates. Some were included for which I had not found a bond. Others were found that I know are recorded in surrounding counties. Evidently most of the ministers were circuit riders, and perhaps performed marriages in one cound, then gave the return to the county clerk in another county, as convenient.

If you wish a copy of the original bond, they are on file in the office of the BARREN COUNTY COURT CLERK, BARREN COUNTY COURTHOUSE, GLASGOW, KY. 42141. (fee: $2.00 per copy, plus a SASE).

BARREN COUNTY KENTUCKY
MARRIAGES

SHIRLEY, Benjamin to Maria T. Tunstall, June 13, 1843, Sur: David Bullock. Md. June 15, 1843 by George B. Harland.

SHIRLEY, Caleb to Pheby Gibbons, March 24, 1819, Sur: Presley Thomas, consent James (*Thomas) Gibbons and Susannah Gibbons, Wit. Presley Thomas, Beverly Bradley. Md. March 25, 1819 by Daniel Shirley.

SHIRLEY, Carter T. to Betsy Ann Cook, Feb. 4, 1836, Sur: George B. Cook.

SHIRLEY, Daniel to Betsy Howell, md. May 23, 1805 by Jacob Lock.

SHIRLEY, Elijah to Mary Harbison, June 9, 1828, Sur: Adam B. Harberson. Md. June 12, 1828 by Robert Leeper.

SHIRLEY, George to Sarah A. M. Young, March 23, 1841, Sur: William H. Young, consent guardian Thomas Depp, Wit. George H. Tunstall, William H. Young. Md. March 30, 1841 by Ralph Petty.

SHIRLEY, George Y. to Evelina Gorin, Sept. 7, 1829, Sur: William G. Logan.

SHIRLEY, Henry to Sophia Reed, Jan. 21, 1833, Sur: Levi C. Read. Md. Jan. 24, 1833 by Cornelius Deweese.

SHIRLEY, James to Mary Shirley, March 5, 1825, Sur: James Shirley.

SHIRLEY, James to Deborah Presly, Dec. 10, 1827, Sur: Joseph Presley. Md. Dec. 13, 1827 by Ralph Petty.

SHIRLEY, James to Louiza Murry, Dec. 30, 1828, Sur: John Howell, consent father Alen Murry, Wit. John Howell. Md. Jan. 19, 1829 by Ralph Petty

SHIRLEY, James A. to Frances Giddings, April 18, 1826, Sur: John Montague. Md. April 20, 1826 by Zacheus Quisenberry.

SHIRLEY, John to Mary Jane Hatchett, April 15, 1840, Sur: Archibald Hatchett. Md. April 18, 1840 by Thomas J. Malone.

SHIRLEY, John M. to Mary L. Pool, Sept. 14, 1824, Sur: William Porter, consent her father _____Pool, Wit. M. B. Cook, J. A. Shirley.

SHIRLEY, John W. to Patsy Young, Jan. 16, 1809, Sur: Edmund Rogers. NOTE: See page 235.

SHIRLEY, Moses to Juliveth Hunt, Jan. 12, 1833, Sur: Alemeth Hunt, consent Abel Hunt. Md. Jan. 17, 1833 by Ralph Petty.

SHIRLEY, Nimrod to Betsey Dale, Sept. 7, 1807, Sur: William Shirley. Md. Sept. 7, 1807 by Thomas Skaggs.

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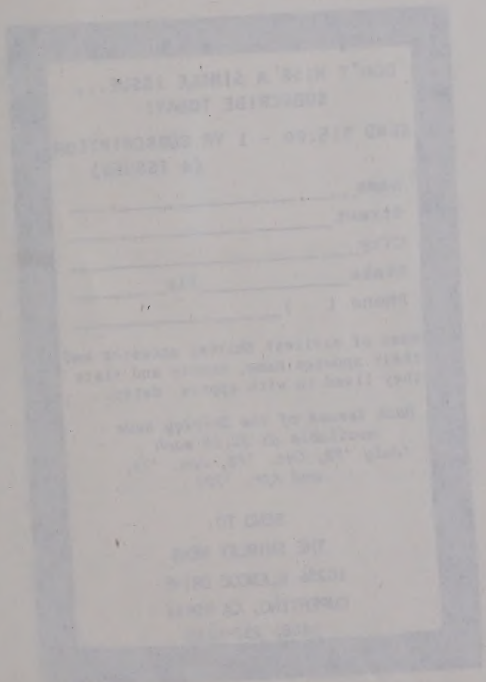

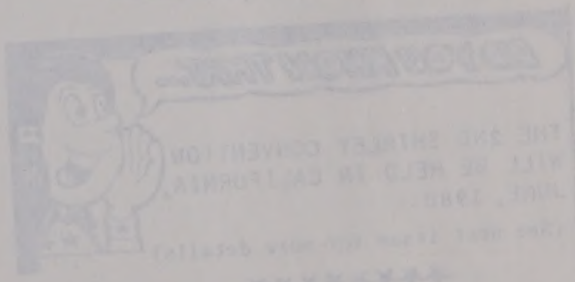

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1873

Wm. T. Shirley m. Henrietta Hatchett
December 13, 1853

Wm. T. Shirley m. Helen R. T. Murphy
1859

Thomas Shirley m. Polly Carson
February 10, 1811

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Hester Ann Shirley m. Harrison H. Blackburn
March 5, 1845

Eleanor R. Shirley m. Presly Jenkins
October 19, 1837

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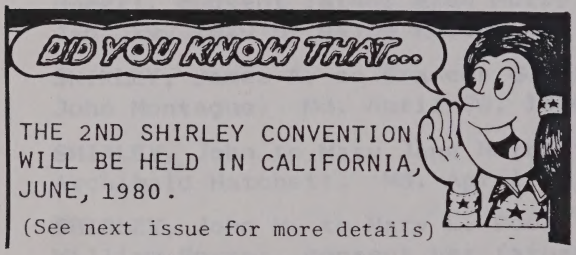
October 25, 1832



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James Shirley married Mary McMekin
October 9, 1781, Fauquier Co., Va.

Info. from: Elizabeth Bistline

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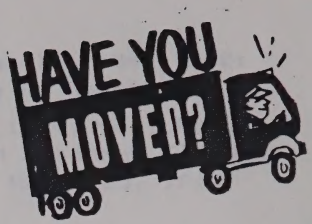

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June 15, 1843

Carter T. Shirley m. Betsy Ann Cook
February 4, 1836

Clarence Shirley m. Livia B. Douglass
1900 (c.)

Clay Shirley m. Lou Austin
1874 (c.)

Daniel Shirley m. Lizzie Eubank
1889

George Shirley m. Eliz. P. Tunstall
1852

George Shirley m. Sarah Young
March 23, 1841

George G. Shirley m. Evelina Gorin
September 17, 1829

George T. Shirley m. Mary Ellen Cox
1882

Henry C. Shirley m. Cynthia E. Carr
1885 - 1895? (c.)

James Shirley m. Mary Shirley
March 5, 1825

James A. Shirley m. Ann Mary Huggins
1854

James A. Shirley m. Lucinda Huggins
1857

James Robert Shirley m. Victoria
1880 Isabel Ard

Jasper Shirley m. Mary Gooden
1895

Jo Shirley m. America Settles
1873 (c.)

John Shirley m. Mary Jane Hatchett
April 15, 1840

John B. Shirley m. Laura A. Meek
1889

John M. Shirley m. Mary L. Pool
September 14, 1824

J. W. Shirley m. Lizzie C. Smith
1881

Louis Shirley m. Eliz. Irwin
1868

Moses Shirley m. Zubieth Hunt
January 12, 1833

Nelson Shirley m. Jane Shirley
1867

Nelson Shirley m. Harriett Caldwell
1881 (c.)

Newton Shirley m. Caroline P. Cox
1873

Newton Shirley m. Bell Hatcher
March 19, 1876

Nimrod Shirley m. Martha Boyd
1859

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September 7, 1807

Norman Shirley m. Malinda Collier
December 15, 1846

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December 26, 1878

P. P. Shirley m. Ann M. Kukendall
1859

R. L. Shirley m. Melissa Gallaway
March 10, 1864

Robert Shirley m. Sally Ann Gee
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Robert Shirley m. Artema D. Moss
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Rueben Shirley m. Lettitia Shirley
December 4, 1826

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1822	Shirley			Paul	Samuel Hodges	Mortgage	I	398	1822		Personal Property
1822	Shirley		James A		Richard W Shirley	Mortgage	I	469	1823		Real & Personal Property
1823	Shirley et al			William A	Samuel Brown	Deed etc	J	18	1822		1 Mare
1822	Shirley et al			Paul	Daniel Culp	Mortgage	J	38	1822		Stock of Merchendise
1823	Shirley			William A	Thomas Church et al	Deed	J	59	1823		40 A - Beaver Creek
1823	Shirley		James A		Paul Shirley	Mortgage	J	137	1823		Int lot # 54 Glasgow
1823	Shirley			William	Samuel Douglass et al	Mortgage	J	141	1823		200 A - Beaver Creek
1823	Shirley			William	Samuel Douglass	Mortgage	J	145	1823		Tract - Barren Co
1823	Shirley			William	Samuel Deweese	Release	J	152	1823		Tract - Barren Co
1823	Shirley		James A		Paul Shirley et al	D - Shf	J	176	1823		Lots & Glasgow
1825	Shirley			Wm	Mary Douglass et al	R of D	J	181	None		Book J Page 141
1823	Shirley	Gabriel			Richard Shirley	Deed	J	199	1823		2 trs Blue Spring Creek
1823	Shirley	Gabriel			Richard Shirley	Deed	J	200	1823		Personal Property
1823	Shirley	Gabriel			Richard Shirley	Bill S	J	201	1823		2 Negro Slaves
1825	Shirley			William	Richard Roundtree	Receipt	J	201	1825		Personal Property
1823	Shirley			William A	Will T Bush et al	D - Shf	J	211	1823		Tract & lots Glasgow
1823	Shirley			William(Big)	Joseph Carr et al	Appr	J	225	1823		
1824	Shirley			Richard Jr	Benjamin Smith et al	Deed	J	340	1824		75 A - Beaver Creek
1824	Shirley		James A		Richard M Shirley et al	D - Shf	J	351	1824		127 A - 2 trs Barren Co
1824	Sherley et al			Wm	Alex E Spotwood	Mortgage	J	507	1824		Real & Personal Property
	Shirley			Thomas	Thomas Smith	Deed	K	92	1825		200 A - White Oak Creek

1823	Shirley			William	Samuel Douglass						
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1823	Shirley		James A		Paul Shirley	et al	D - Shf	J	176	1823	Lots # Glasgow
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1824	Shirley			Richard Jr	Benjamin Smith	et al	Deed	J	340	1824	75 A - Beaver Creek
1824	Shirley		James A		Richard M Shirley	et al	D - Shf	J	351	1824	127 A - 2 trs Barren Co
1824	Shirley et al			Wm	Alex F Spotwood		Mortgage	J	507	1824	Real & Personal Property
1825	Shirley			Thomas	Thomas Smith		Deed	K	92	1825	200 A - White Oak Creek
1825	Shirley	Caleb			John Young		Deed	K	104	1825	132 A - Blue Spring Creek
None	Shirley			William	James G Hicks		Asgmt	K	108	1823	200 A - Barren Co
1825	Shirley			William	John A Holliday	Heirs	Com D	K	108	1825	200 A - Barren Co
1825	Shirley et al			William	John McFerran		Mortgage	K	124	1825	2 Negroes
1825	Shirley et al			William A	Alexander Adair		Deed	K	204	1825	Part lot # 50 Glasgow
1827	Shirley et al			William	William McFerran		Copy D	K	258	1827	800 A - Sumner Co Tenn
1825	Shirley	Darky			Moses Shirley	et al	Deed	K	295	1825	24 A - White Oak Creek
1826	Shirley			William A	Hanson Musgrove		Mortgage	K	341	1826	Lot & Personal Property Glas
1826	Shirley et al Heirs	Daniel (decd)	Moses James		Pascal D Craddock		Deed	K	402	1825	110 A - Barren Co
1826	Shirley et al	Carter	Lucinda Martha Ann		Paschal Craddock		Deed	K	402	1826	110 A - Barren Co

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1826	Shirley			Richard	Jesse Smith	et al	Deed	L	7	1826	150 A - Barren Co
1828	Shirley			William A	Maxamillion Haley	et al	Deed	L	289	1828	200 A - Barrens
1828	Shirley			William	Robert T Anderson		Mortgage	L	375	1828	Personal Property
1829	Shirley			Thomas Jr	Daniel Price	et al	Deed	L	422	1829	150 A - Fallen Timber
1829	Shirley	Elijah			William J Garnett	et al	Deed	L	474	1829	110 A - Fallen Timber Creek
1829	Shirley		James		Wm Shirley		Deed	L	507	1829	200 A - Blue Spring Creek
1829	Shirley	Heirs		Robert (decd)	Wm Shirley		Deed	L	507	1829	200 A - Blue Spring Creek
1829	Shirley			Reuben	Wm Shirley		Deed	L	508	1829	200 A - Fallen Timber Creek
1829	Shirley		James		William Shirley		Deed	L	527	1829	272 A - White Oak Creek
1831	Shirley			Richard Jr	John D Dizreus		Deed	M	210	1831	207 A - Columbia Road
1832	Shirley			William	Samuel Douglas		D - Shf	M	437	1832	100 A - Beaver Creek
1833	Shirley	Henry			James Cummins	et al	Deed	N	217	1833	163 A - Beaver Creek
1834	Shirley		James		Elizabeth H Leeper	et al	Deed	N	398	1834	200 A - Blue Spring Creek
1836	Shirley			Thomas	Isaac Dale	et al	Deed	O	248	1836	122 A - Dry Grove Knob
1837	Shirley	et al Henry			Elijah Deweese (Decd)		Deed Extrx	O	302	1837	Tract - Barren Co
1838	Shirley	et al Azubeth			Abel Hunt	et al	D - Gft	P	35	1838	200 A - Beaver Creek
1838	Shirley	et al	Mary John Wm		John M Shirley		D of T	P	39	1837	Tract - Edmonton - Slaves
1839	Shirley	Elijah			Matthew Harbison	et al	Deed	Q	12	1839	13 A - Fallen Timber
1840	Shirley	Elijah			Abner Harvey	et al	Deed	Q	83	1840	150 A - Fallen Timber Creek
1841	Shirley	Elijah			William Defries		Deed	Q	287	1841	13 A - Fallen Timber Creek
1843	Shirley	et al Hariett H			Jacob Jones		Deed	R	4	1843	2 lots Glasgow
1843	Shirley	et al Harriet			Jacob Jones		Com D	R	92	1843	Lot Front St Glasgow
1844	Shirley	Henry			Presley N Thomas		Com D	R	172	1844	200 A - Barren Co
1845	Shirley	George			John P Pedigo	et al	Deed	R	343	1845	100 A - Beaver Creek

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1827	Shipman	
1812	Shirley	

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1829	Shirley			Reuben	Wm Shirley		Deed	L	508	1829	200 A - Fallen Timber Creek
1829	Shirley		James		William Shirley		Deed	L	527	1829	272 A - White Oak Creek
1831	Shirley			Richard Jr	John D Dizreus		Deed	M	210	1831	207 A - Columbia Road
1832	Shirley			William	Samuel Douglas		D - Shf	M	437	1832	100 A - Beaver Creek
1833	Shirley	Henry			James Cummins	et al	Deed	N	217	1833	163 A - Beaver Creek
1834	Shirley		James		Elizabeth H Leeper	et al	Deed	N	398	1834	200 A - Blue Spring Creek
1836	Shirley			Thomas	Isaac Dale	et al	Deed	O	248	1836	122 A - Dry Grove Knob
1837	Shirley	et al Henry			Elijah Deweese (Decd)		Exctx Deed	O	302	1837	Tract - Barren Co
1838	Shirley	et al Azubeth			Abel Hunt	et al	D - Gft	P	35	1838	200 A - Beaver Creek
1838	Shirley	et al	Mary John Wm		John M Shirley		D of T	P	39	1837	Tract - Edmonton - Slaves
1839	Shirley	Elijah			Matthew Harbison	et al	Deed	Q	12	1839	13 A - Fallen Timber
1840	Shirley	Elijah			Abner Harvey	et al	Deed	Q	83	1840	150 A - Fallen Timber Creek
1841	Shirley	Elijah			William Defries		Deed	Q	287	1841	13 A - Fallen Timber Creek
1843	Shirley	et al Hariett H			Jacob Jones		Deed	R	4	1843	2 lots Glasgow
1843	Shirley	et al Harriet			Jacob Jones		Com D	R	92	1843	Lot Front St Glasgow
1844	Shirley	Henry			Presley N Thomas		Com D	R	172	1844	200 A - Barren Co
1845	Shirley	George			John P Pedigo	et al	Deed	R	343	1845	100 A - Beaver Creek
1849	Shirley	et al	John M		Otha Naylor	et al	Deed	S	380	1848	200 A - So fork Little Barren River
1850	Shirley	Elijah			Newport Academy		Trustee Deed by	T	27	1850	289 A - Little Barren River
1850	Shirley	Henry	James		Wm P Payne	et al	Deed	T	97	1849	250 A - including Mill Beaver Creek
1850	Shirley		James		Wm P Payne	et al	Deed	T	99	1849	450 A - Beaver Creek
1849	Shirley	Henry			Hiram Boyd	et al	Com D	T	152	1849	Tract - Barren Co
1851	Shirley	et al George			James Depp	et al	D of T	T	282	1850	Household & Personal Property
1851	Shirley		John		Elijah Shirley	Heirs et al	Deed	T	448	1851	92 A - Dry Grove Knob

1829	Shirley			Wm	Jas Shirley	Deed	L	527	1829	272 A	White Oak Cr
~~1827~~ 1830	Shirley			Wm A	Maxamilian Haley	Release of Title	L	564	1829	Lot	Glasgow
1830	Shirley	Caleb		Phebe	Jno McDaniel	Deed	M	70	1830	132 A	In Barrens
1830	Shirley	Elizabeth		Richard	Edward Dale	Deed	M	122	1830	150 A	Smarts Branch
1831	Shirley	Caleb		Phoebe	Jennings McDaniel	Deed	M	136	1830	100 A	Beaver Cr
1832	Shirley		Jas A		Josiah Moss	Deed	M	388	1832	4 Lots	#107-110 Glasgow
1833	Shirley By Atty	Ann D			Jno Lewis	Deed	N	163	1833	1133 A	Big Barren River
1833	Shirley		Jas A		Josiah Moss	Deed	N	169	1833	4 Lots	Glasgow
1833	Shirley By Atty	Ann D			Elisha Carver	Deed	N	174	1833	200 A	Peters Cr
1834	Shirley	Hannah		Thos	Jno Bybee	Deed	N	287	1834	200 A	Fallen Timber Cr
1835	Shirley			Wm A	Jno Wilson	Deed	O	73	1835	10 A	Barren Co
1836	Shirley By Atty	Ann D			Richard H Payne	Deed	O	176	1836	Tr	Peters Cr
1836	Shirley			Wm A	Christopher Tompkins et al	Deed	O	231	1836	5	Negroes
1838	Shirley		Jno M		Jno Wm Shirley et al	Deed of Trust	P	39	1837	Tr	Edmonton & slaves
1838	Shirley		Jno M		Wm C Pool et al	Deed of Trust	P	39	1837	Tr	Edmonton & slaves
1838	Shirley	Harriet H		Wm Decd	David Locke	Com Deed	P	127	1838	172 A	Barren Co
1839	Shirley et al		Jno M Mary		Wm C Pool	Deed	P	407	1838	Trs	Barren & Adair Co
1842	Shirley Heirs et al	Elizabeth Carter T	Jas H		Jas Smith	Deed	Q	263	1837	236 A	2 trs Blue Spring Cr
1841	Shirley	Elijah			Matthew Harbison	Deed	Q	286	1841	7 A	Fallen Timber Cr
1841	Shirley			Paul Decd Sarah C	Josiah Moss	R Dower	Q	313	1841	6 Lots	Glasgow
1841	Shirley et al			Wm	Geo Rogers	Deed	Q	378	1834	Lot	#50 Glasgow
1842	Shirley	Hariet H			Benj N Crump	Power of Atty	R	100	1842		
1844	Shirley et al	Harriet H			Benj N Crump	Deed	R	211	1844	328 A	South Fork Cr

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1929	Shipley	et al	Bernett	Mary	Roy	W H Burnett	Deed	87	638	1925	2 Trs near Glasgow Jct	
1929	Shipley	et al	C M Fannie			W H Burnett	Deed	87	638	1925	2 Trs near Glasgow Jct	
1929	Shipley		Burnett	Mary	Roy W	W H & Lula Burnett	Deed	87	639	1926	2 Trs near Glasgow Jct	
1929	Shipley		Brents C	J C		Joe & Mack Myers	Deed	88	58	1929	26 A Barren Co	
1930	Shipley			Ida M		C M Caldwell	Deed	88	456	1930	Lots #5-6-7 Cave City High Sch Add	
1930	Shipley			Ida		B C Turner	Deed	88	583	1930	26 A 2 miles East Cave City Lexington Rd	
1930	Shipley	et al		Ida		R B & F G Higgasen	Deed	89	417	1927	128 A 2 trs Old Bethel Church	
1931	Shipley		Brents C	J C		Dan Boston	Deed	89	566	1929	14 A Barren Co	
1932	Shipley		Hascal	Mary C		G E & Brents Shipley	Deed	91	284	1932	42 A Glovers Cr	
1932	Shipley		B W			Martha R Shipley	Deed	91	364	1931	96 A 4 trs Barren Co	
1933	Shipley			Jno A Kate		Gershon Neville	Deed	93	477	1917	42 A Glasgow Jct Merry Oaks Rd	
1934	Shipley		G F	N T		Emmett Matthews	Deed	94	300	1915	25 A Glovers Cr	
1934	Shipley		Allie G	L D		Ewell Shipley	Deed	95	221	1925	15 A Barren Co	
1935	Shipley		D J	Lida		Millard Lane	Deed	95	534	1935	3 Lots Hutcherson Add	
1808	Shipman		Daniel			Reubin Hampton	Deed	B	206	1808	2 Trs-1 in Barrens	
1821	Shipman		David Fanny			Wm Lewis	Deed	I	72	1821	100 A Barren Co	
1827	Shipman		David			Joseph T Underwood	Deed	K	365	1827	100 A Barren Co	
1812	Shirley		Hannah		Thos Jr	Nathaniel Helton	Deed	C	234	1812	140 A White Oak Cr	

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1813	Shirley			Wm	David Deweese	Deed	G	496	1813	80 A Barren Fork of Beaver Cr
1816	Shirley	Frances	Jno		Geo Yates	Deed	E	187	1815	242 A Little Barren River
1818	Shirley			Wm	Edmund Bishop	Deed	G	13	1818	216 A Fallen Timber Cr
1818	Shirley By Atty	Ann D			Thos Flippin	Deed	G	71	1817	150 A East Fork Big Barren River
1819	Shirley	Benj			Geo T Dearing	Deed	G	426	1818	30 A Head of White Oak Cr
1819	Shirley		Moses Nancy		Benj Smith	Deed	G	431	1819	70 A White Oak Cr
1817	Shirley et al			Thos Polly	Jno Harris	Deed	G	528	1817	200 A Barren Co
1820	Shirley	Betsey			Geo T Dearing	R Dower	H	167	1820	Deed Book G page 426
1820	Shirley		Moses		Edward Gill	Power of Atty	H	172	1820	
1820	Shirley			Wm	Thos Shirley	Com Deed	H	190	1820	200 A Blue Spring Cr
1821	Shirley		Mary	Thos	Cader Edwards	Deed	H	199	1820	200 A In Barrens
1821	Shirley			Paul	Sam'l Tilford	Mortgage	H	294	1821	House & lot Glasgow
1823	Shirley			Richard W	Leonard H Tunstall et al	Mortgage	I	469	1823	Real & personal property
1823	Shirley			Paul	Jas A Shirley	Mortgage	J	137	1823	Int lot #54 Glasgow
1823	Shirley			Paul	Lowry Bishop	Mortgage	J	140	1823	Lots Glasgow & Edmonton
1823	Shirley			Paul	Jas A Shirley	Shff Deed	J	176	1823	Several lots Glasgow
1823	Shirley et al			Richard	Gabriel Shirley	Deed	J	199	1823	2 Trs Blue Spring Cr
1823	Shirley			Richard	Gabriel Shirley	Deed	J	200	1823	Personal property
1823	Shirley			Richard	Gabriel Shirley	Bill of Sale	J	201	1823	2 negroes
1823	Shirley	Harriet		Wm A	Thos S Ellison	Deed	J	205	1823	Lot #5 Edmonton

1820	Shirley		Moses		Edward Gill	Power of Atty	H	172	1820	
1820	Shirley			Wm	Thos Shirley	Com Deed	H	190	1820	200 A Blue Spring Cr
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1823	Shirley	et al		Paul	Jas A Shirley	Shff Deed	J	176	1823	Several lots Glasgow
1823	Shirley			Richard	Gabriel Shirley	Deed	J	199	1823	2 Trs Blue Spring Cr
1823	Shirley			Richard	Gabriel Shirley	Deed	J	200	1823	Personal property
1823	Shirley			Richard	Gabriel Shirley	Bill of Sale	J	201	1823	2 negroes
1823	Shirley		Harriet	Wm A	Thos S Ellison	Deed	J	205	1823	Lot #5 Edmonton
1823	Shirley	et al		Paul	Thos S Ellison	Shff Deed	J	206	1823	House & lot Edmonton
1823	Shirley		Chas M	Thos	Jas M Culp	Appr	J	315	1823	
1824	Shirley		Jas A	Wm A	Edmund Ferrel	Deed	J	334	1824	123 A 2 trs Barren Co
1824	Shirley		Elizabeth	Richard Jr	Alex E Spotswood	Deed	J	341	1824	75 A Beaver Cr
1824	Shirley	et al		Richard M	Jas A Shirley	Shff Deed	J	351	1824	127 A 2 trs Barren Co
1824	Shirley	et al	Caleb	Phoebe	Stephen T Logan	Shff Deed	K	22	1824	150 A Beaver Cr
1824	Shirley		Elizabeth	Richard Jr	Alexander E Spotswood	R Dower	K	49	1824	Deed Book J page 341
1825	Shirley			Thos	Henry Hays	Deed	K	93	1825	90 A Barren Co
1825	Shirley			Thos	Wm & Jno Hays	Deed	K	96	1825	Tr Barren Co
1825	Shirley		Hannah	Thos Jr	Wm Cullins	Deed	K	97	1822	36 A Barren Co
1825	Shirley		Moses Nancy		Henry Holtsclaw	Deed	K	172	1825	153 A Near Dripping Spring Cr

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1825	Shirley	Frances	Jno		Wm Doss	Deed	K	298	1823	245 A Barren & Adair Co
1828	Shirley	Frances	Jas A		Jno M Hansford	Deed	L	259	1828	Lots Glasgow
1829	Shirley	Harriet		Wm A	Geo Church	Deed	L	385	1829	40 A Beaver Cr
1829	Shirley	Harriet		Wm A	Hanson Musgrove	Deed	L	421	1829	3 Lots adjoining Glasgow
1829	Shirley			Wm	Jas Shirley	Deed	L	507	1829	200 A Blue Spring Cr
1829	Shirley			Wm	Robt Shirley Heirs	Deed	L	507	1829	200 A Blue Spring Cr
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1835	Shirley			Wm A	Jno Wilson	Deed	O	73	1835	10 A Barren Co
1836	Shirley By Atty	Ann D			Richard H Payne	Deed	O	176	1836	Tr Peters Cr
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						Deed of Trust	P	39	1837	Tr Edmonton & slaves

Kentucky Shirleys

LAND WARRANTS

Daniel Shirley,	Barren Co.,	Dec. 12, 1812	200 acres
Richard Shirley,	Barren Co.,	April 9, 1823	100 acres
William Shirley,	Barren Co.,	April 29, 1826	50 acres
James Shirley,	Barren Co.,	May 5, 1830	50 acres
Richard Shirley,	Barren Co.,	Nov. 4, 1836	10 acres
Benjamin Shirley,	Warren Co.,	June 3, 1817	22 acres
John W. Shirley,	Adair Co.,	Sept. 6, 1819	50 acres
John W. Shirley,	Adair Co.,	April 1, 1823	50 acres
Joshua Shirley,	Bullett Co.,	May 29, 1833	97 acres
Joshua Shirley,	Bullett Co.,	May 22, 1833	146 acres
Thomas Shirley,	Monroe Co.,	Mar. 16, 1836	3 acres

MERCER CO., KY. TAX LIST - 1806

John Sherly 1m. over 21 2 blacks
3 horses

TAX LIST - 1807

John Shirley 1 male over 21,
6 blacks, 5 horses

John Shirley 1 m. over 21,
2 blacks, 3 horses

George Shirley 1m. over 21,
1 horse

1798 Thomas Shirley, with Daniel Neale, purchased 2 treasury warrants for a total of 1000 acres in Scott Co.

This land was sold by the heir of Thomas Shirley, Sr. in 1842/1843.

There was a John Shirley in Lewis Co., Ky., 1811, who was a judge or Justice of Peace.

Stone in small cemetery at Old Blue Springs Church in Barron Co., Ky. on Ed Hatchett's farm:

'Daniel Shirley, March 1783-Oct.6,1823

1769 Present area of Kentucky explored by Daniel Boone.

1776 Organization of Kentucky as a county of Va.

June 1, 1792 Kentucky admitted to the Union.

SHIRLEYS' LAND GRANTS IN KY.

BARREN CO.

Moses	July 16, 1799	200 acres
James	July 25, 1799	200 acres
Thomas	July 20, 1799	200 acres
Thomas Jr.	Aug. 1799	200 acres
William	Aug. 16, 1799	200 acres
William	Aug. 1, 1799	200 acres
Richard	June 8, 1799	200 acres
Richard	Apr. 4, 1810	200 acres
Benjamin	Dec. 18, 1815	30 acres
Richard	Nov. 10, 1817	90 acres

ADAIR CO.

Richard	Nov. 22, 1804	200 acres
Thomas	Nov. 22, 1804	200 acres
John W.	July 20, 1806	200 acres

MUHLENBERRY CO.

Uriah	Nov. 8, 1815	400 acres

WARREN CO.

Benjamin	Jan. 4, 1813	400 acres

Information from Reubin Shirley's unpublished book.
**Sent by L. Powers*

1805 SCOTT CO., KY.

Longlick Baptist Church records mention the following Shirley names:

Archibald
Arge
Elizabeth
Edmond
Frances/Francis
Susannah

Aug. 9, 1794 - John Nash, Thomas Shirley, Richard Shirley and John Shirley went to Little River church to gain fellowship with former member of Turkey Creek, Nancy Hanks.

Sept. 13, 1794 - Sr Shirley departed this life 12th instant

[....about this time, people started leaving for KY.]

Feb.10, 1798 - THOMAS SHIRLEY applied for letter for himself and wife; John Shirley for self, wife and sister. All granted.

Oct.9, 1807 and May 7, 1814 - entries both mention Thomas Shirley, member of Little River Church .....end of quotes from Turkey Creek minutes

It appears to me that there WERE two Thomas Shirleys--one with a wife Elizabeth and one our Thomas and Mary/Molly Grubbs. As I think I mentioned there are plenty of land records to prove Thomas and Molly were in the area 1785-1791. I simply haven't understood who was Thomas Shirley with wife Elizabeth still in SC as late as 1814.

In the minutes themselves, it's impossible to tell which Thomas Shirley is being named. One of them was suspended at some point not designated in the minutes. On 12 Oct 1792, Thos. Shirley had a dispute with James Hodges. On 10 Nov 1892, Thomas Shirley was "restored".

About "Sr Shirley" --I would interpret that as "sister", because all those church minutes use "Br" before a surname, quite obviously to mean "Brother". If it were "--- Shirley Sr."--the "Sr" would have been put after the name.

About Richard m. Margret, and Richard m. Dorcas...I have rather thought that there were probably two Richards. It's a matter of what's physically possible. I have estimated ages of parents by what we know about birthdates of chn.

THOMAS b.c1746; d. 1830 (Pueblo CO Bible Rec. says d. 1830 at ae.84)
JAMES b.c1742; d.1801

MARGRET poss.d. 1792 (Wfe.of Richard, Pr.Wm. and Abbeville)
had Thomas, James, Richard etc. c1740's
b.prob. c.1720; would therefore have been 44 c1865 - an important point. Bear in mind we have thought Sr.Shirley was Margret--so she was still living when the following were born....

SUSANNA, b. 1769 (1st in order named in estate settlement)
SARAH, b.c1776 (2nd in order named in estate settlement)
(to estimate birth, her dau.Malinda m. 1812 at about ae. 16-18 yrs; Malinda b. c.1796. If Malinda was Sarah's oldest child, Sarah would have been about age 20 in 1796; which means Sarah would have been b.c1776
AMY, b.c1880-2 (unwed in 1898) (3rd in order named in estate settlement)

Conclusion: Sarah and Amy are too young to be children of Margret. Susanna is borderline too young, as Margret would have been ae.49-60 when they were born.

If Richard & Margret had a son Richard also b. 1740's; m.1760's,

January 16, 1992

Dear Betty,

Hi. How are you? I'm full of questions. I've been working on the Shirleys in Hendricks and Boone Cos; and then just today pulled together a summary of the KY. Shirleys for the CG who is going to work on the Benjamin Smith problem for me. I ended up re-studying Turkey Creek minutes; Dripping Springs minutes (which you and I have not discussed since we picked them up.)

1. Do we know whatever happened to Amy Shirley, dau. of Richard, d. 1796 Scott Co.? Did you notice reference in the Drip.Sprngs.Mints. to Amy H. Smith Sr.? The title Sr. suggests an Amy Smith "Jr."--wonder if that could be our Amy Shirley married to a Smith. Amy doesn't appear to have been all that popular as a girl's name in those days. I would presume Amy Shirley went on to Barren Co. with the rest of them.

2. Do we know who are the two John Shirleys in Abbeville Co.1790? I presume one is the John who m. Elizabeth Fields, whose kids went on to Honea Path. Is the other one John who m. Eliz. Barmore? Where did I get the idea that John and E.Barmore were in Laurens Co. 1790? I can't figure out who else it could be. Is John m. E.Barmore the presumed brother of Richard, James and Thomas?

3. Did I understand correctly that there was a John Shirley in Adair Co.KY. Who is he?

4. In the Turk.Crk.church minutes, do you think Thomas Shirley is our Thomas Shirley? I am confused by the Feb.1885 note about Thomas and his wife Elizabeth....also by Thomas who was active in the church for ten years after our folks departed for KY. On the other hand, it appears Molly and Thomas bought an awful lot of land (640 ac) in Abbeville Co. in Jan 1785; and sold it in 1791. Why aren't they in Abbeville in 1790? Where did I come up with the notion that Thomas was in Spartanburg Co? If so--that's a bit far to travel to church. The Thos.Shirley situation in Abbeville Co. has me very puzzled.

I have been adding to and correcting my original Shirley print-out. I have the Thomas line in pretty good shape. I'm spending whole days on it while I have time this winter. I want to pull it together as far as I am and send it off to you. Have started re-working the James line. Richard's line isn't so difficult.

5. Which brings me to the next question. Do we know more about the Holtzclaws than has appeared in the NEWS? Which offspring is Dorothy Halgrimson's ancestor. Does she know any more about that line? I've written her a couple of times, but she never answers.

6. About the Virginia roots of the Kentucky Shirleys--Do we assume/presume that Argeland was a first cousin? ..or do we know? Can't we trace Arge back to the Northumberland group? If he IS a first cousin, and we CAN trace him back to the N'nd, wouldn't that mean that his father was a brother of Richard in Pr.William who m. Margaret/Peggy?...assuming, of course, that Richard and Margaret are the parents of our KY group.

I think that covers all my main questions. I've had so many as I work along on this. I've discovered some interesting marriages involving Smiths and Shirleys. I'll enclose a chart of one of them--has four Shirley lines and 2 Smith lines.

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Va. and he is the brother of Thomas Shirley who married Mollie Yates. John and Thomas Shirley are buried in Adair Co. Ky and it was their graves Barbara and I were looking for on Friday before we met in the Restaurant at Caves City, KY for the Convention a couple of years ago. They were in the Rev. War.

#4. I don't find a Thomas and Eliz. Shirley in 1785 (I suspect you meant 1785 instead of 1885). Straighten me out on this one.

#5. I haven't heard from Dorothy for along time. I did look in her file and this is the only material I have that really says anything about her line. I looked at each letter and I'm afraid this is it. (see enclosure)

#6. It would look logical wouldn't it? We can presume it but that is about all. The name Argeland does appear in the Northumberland Co. VA records. It appears the Northumberland people ended up in Prince William County and Fauquier area. Some of the neighbors of our bunch at the Broad Run Baptist church were in the records of Northumberland Co. so we know Northumberland Co. people did come into Prince William and Fauquier Co. at about the same time.

I think the confusing thing for me with Richard is...did he marry only Margaret and it is "a" Richard who is his son who married Dorcas or did Richard marry twice...Margaret and then Dorcas. I think James Young thinks she was the second wife and she was possibly a Cullens.

The other item confusing to me and I do not have time to get to this item...Turkey Creek minutes: Sept 13, 1794...Is it SR or Sis. Shurly. This person died! This could make a difference!!! If it is sister then this could have been Margaret and would make the idea of Richard marrying Dorcas as a second wife a good possibility. If it is SR. then it could be an older Richard who died. George N. Shirley copied it as SR. (male!) and someone else sometime back copied it as sis. I have no further records on Turkey Creek Church to check it against.

I hope I have covered most of your questions for what ever help they may be. I hope the material I have copied may be of help with your Smith line.

Got ta run. It has been 4 1/2 hours since I started this. I can't believe it!!! Doesn't look like it should have taken that long, but it did and I enjoyed doing it. I don't always have or feel I have that much time to do anything. So..to go this long uninterrupted is a miracle.

Glad to hear Walter is doing good! You take care now...

Love Betty

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Dear Marion, m

It is Saturday afternoon. I have done some chores, etc. that needed to be done before I began answering mail, and yours is the first letter I chose to spend sometime with. I remember it has a lot of questions.. and you know... I feel like I could use a project to work on....even though I should be answering some mail that awaits me...HA! But then there is always mail waiting!!!

So, I will start with yours: And right here the phone rang, it was my son saying the Kentucky Headhunters were on Farm aid TV program. So, I went to see them in action. Took a minute and called James Young to see how he is doing. He isn't doing well he said. He has the shingles and is miserable. He didn't sound very good either!

So....back to your letter!

I have spent two hours since I wrote the above sentence. I have been looking thru my books, indexes and etc. I have copied off a few things for Smiths.

I am sending you a copy of a book about Broad Run Baptist church. If you already have this book...place it in the library. I purchased a few extra copies when I was there.

I have just opened another envelope from you and will address this correspondence... First, thank you for the deed index in Barren Co. Ky and the map with waterways highlighted. I appreciate that!

That was very interesting about "The Barrens". Can't you just see the buffalo coming thru there and all that followed?

Now I shall look for the other letter, the last one. It is the one I know had alot of questions. Yes, I have found it. I will copy it and send back so you can see what questions you asked. Since you numbered them...great! I shall go by question #1 etc.

#1. Amy Shirley....I don't find anything here to help!
#2. Yes, on the John's! The way it has been told to me...family tradition in SC.....

Richard is the brother of John m. Eliz Barmore

John (m. Eliz Fields), Benjamin who m. Eliz. Hughes, James, Thomas and Richard are suppose to be the sons of Richard.

Spartanburg and Laurens Counties have little to do with the main group. The only possibility for Laurens county is that they may be related back in VA. further up the tree.

#3 Yes, there is a John Shirley in Adair Co. Ky. but he is the one who was married to the Yates girl. They came from Spots. Co.